∴ The rumor that Capt. Fountain's command was surrounded by hostiles proves a canard.

∴ A colony of Bellamyites claim to have title to the Sequoia National Park in Central California.

The Los Angeles Times.

∴ The validity of the local police courts to be tested before the Superme Court.

∴ Senshtional reports about the Cable Company are denied by General Manager Crank.

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GRAND MATINEE TODAY.

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TONIGHT,

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STEINWAY PIANO USED BY THE JUCH COMPANY.

PASADENA— AT SPORTSMAN'S PARK.

TOURNAMENT —OF— ROSES.

—: NEW YEAR'S DAY: —

Under auspices of Valley Hunt.

Polo Game (Santa Monica Teams,) Vaquero Feats Old Spanish and Mexican,) Hurdle Races, Tourney at Rings, Flat Races, Race Between Horse and Greyhound, Pony Races, Exhibition of Ladies' Riding, Members' Race, Broncho Races, Ranchmen's Race, Bicycle Race, Tug of War.

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—OF—
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LIST OF PRINCIPAL SINGERS.

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EMMA JUCH!
Georgine von Januschowsky, Marie Freebert, Carlotta Maconda.

CONTRALTOS:
Louise Meisllnger, Dora Escott, Bernice Holmes.

TENORS:
Charles Hedmondt, Will Stephens, George Gould, Payne Clarke, John E. Belton.

BARITONES:
Otto Rathjens, Leo Stormont, Alleseo Gannio.

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— REPERTOIRE —

MONDAY, DEC. 29,
THE FLYING DUTCHMAN.
FIRST TIME IN LOS ANGELES—A ROMANTIC OPERA IN THREE ACTS BY RICHARD WAGNER.
Miss Juch's first appearance as "Senta" in Los Angeles.

The Dutchman.....................Otto Rathjens
SENTA.....................EMMA JUCH
Daland, her father, Captain of a Norwegian Ship....Franz Vetta
Erik, a Huntsman.....................Payne Clarke
Mary, Senta's former nurse.....................Louise Meislinger
The Steersman of Daland's Vessel.....................William Stephens
Crew of the Norwegian Vessel, Crew of the Flying Dutchman's Vessel, Norwegian Maidens.
Acts I and II—Scene off the Norwegian Coast.
Act III—Interior of Daland's House.

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TUESDAY, DEC. 30,
WILLIAM TELL.
FIRST TIME IN LOS ANGELES—GRAND OPERA IN FOUR ACTS BY G. ROSSINI.

William Tell, Walther Furst, Melchthal, Arnold, Melchthal's Son (Swiss Patriots) .....Otto Rathjens, ...Franz Vetta, ...Pier Delasio, ...Charles Hedmondt
Gessler, Austrian Governor of the Cantons Swiss and Uri.....................E. N. Knight
Rudolph, Captain of Gessler's Bodyguard.....................Wm. Stephens
Ruodi, a Fisherman.....................George Gould
Leuthold, a Shepherd.....................E. N. Knight
Matilda, an Austrian Princess, Niece of Gessler.....................Georgine von Januschowsky
Hedwiga, Tell's Wife.....................Louise Meislinger
Jemmy, Tell's Son.....................Carlotta Macouda

EMMA JUCH

— REPERTOIRE —

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, DEC. 31, 1890.
IL TROVATORE.
GRAND OPERA IN FOUR ACTS BY GUISEPPE VERDI.

Count di Luna.....................Leo Stormont
Ferrando.....................E. N. Knight
Ruiz.....................William Stephens
Manrico.....................Payne Clarke
Leonora.....................Georgine von Januschowsky
Azucena.....................Louise Meislinger
Inez.....................Marie Freebert
Chorus, Gypsies, Nuns, Followers of the Count and the Troubadour. The Scene is laid in Biscay in Arragon.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 31.
L'AFRICAINE.
GRAND OPERA IN FOUR ACTS BY MYERBEER.
Miss Juch's first appearance in Los Angeles as "Selika."

SELIKA, a Slave.....................EMMA JUCA
Inez, Daughter of Don Diego.....................Carlotta Maconda
Anna, her Attendant.....................Marie Freebert
Nelusko, a Slave.....................Otto Rathjens
Don Piedro, President of the Royal Council.....................Franz Vetta
Grand Inquisitor.....................Pier Delasio
Don Diego, Member of the Council.....................Joseph Witt
High Priest of Brahma.....................E. N. Knight
Don Alvar, Member of the Council.....................William Stephens
Vasco Di Gama, an Officer in the Portuguese Navy.....................Charles Hedmondt
Chorus of Counsellors, Inquisitors, Sailors, Indians, Attendant Ladies.

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MRS. ANNA JOHNSON, THE Christ-Healing Evangelist, will hold revival services for the next month, beginning Sunday, at 3 and 7:30 p.m., in the German Church, on Broadway, between Sixth and Seventh sts. This woman, free in Christ, gives the Gospel to humanity in simplicity, purity and power. Come and hear her. Free to all. 28

SPIRITUALISM—G. H. BROOKS, trance speaker, will lecture in Pythian Castle Hall, 118½ S. Spring st., at 7:30 p. m Subjects taken from the audience. Mrs. Maud Lord Drake will assist in giving tests after lecture.

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THE REGULAR MONTHLY meeting of the Newsboys' Home Society will be held today, 2:30 p. m., at the Home. A full attendance is desired. Reports of the work for the past year will be given. 27

DR. J. H. SEYMOUR WILL ATtend to my practice, keep my office hours, etc., until I am able to resume my duties again. P. T. HUCKINS, M. D., 115½ N. Main st. Telephone 258. 30

THEY ARE ALL GOING TO THE Danish Ladies' Society tonight to attend the First Annual Christmas Ball, at Cellner's Hall, 104 Los Angeles st., cor. First. Admission, 25 cents. 27

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LOST—STAG HOUND PUP, FOUR months old; stands about 2 feet high; brownish yellow; black markings; had on light leather collar and piece of broken chain. Reward will be paid to anyone returning dog to southeast corner FIGUEROA AND JEFFERSON STS. 30

STRAYED—FROM COVINA, ON THE 19th, a chestnut sorrel mare, 15 hands high. A reward will be paid for her return to W. J. KERCKHOFF, at Covina or Los Angeles. 28

LOST—DEC. 25, BETWEEN ST. Paul's Church, Olive st., and Westlake Park, pair gold-frame eye glasses. Return to TIMES OFFICE and receive reward. 28

LOST—DEC. 26, ON BOYLE HEIGHTS cable near First st., lady's pocketbook containing about $3. Finder return to TIMES OFFICE. 27

LOST—DEC. 24, ON THE ROAD TO Pasadena, 8 pairs of white blankets. Finder will please return to 367 CYPRESS AVE., Pasadena. 30

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Boschee German Syrup	60c
Homœopathic Remedies (all kinds)	15c
Ayers' Hair Vigor	55c
Castoria	30c
Pozzoni Powder	35c
Lablache "	30c
Swans' Down Face Powder	10c
Saunders' " "	30c
Camelline	35c
Pond's Extract	small, 35c
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The Mercury Reaches a Very Low Point in New England—The Most Severe Storm in Several Years.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The predicted snowstorm arrived this morning. Pedestrians were few and far between. Surface cars made poor progress in spite of the fact that four horses tried to do the work of two. Navigation on the rivers and bay is seriously interfered with. So far no accidents are reported. This storm, which promises to be the worst since the blizzard of March, 1888, has been letting the South taste its quality since early yesterday morning. Its center worked away up from Lousiana to Tennessee, the storm depression trying to get up an area of high barometer in Lower Canada. As New York is in the center of the track she will have a full share of the depression.

The Weather Bureau sent out warnings last night to officers of all eastern railroads to look out for heavy snow and ordered the Northeast storm signals hoisted all along the Atlantic Coast from Norfolk to Boston and along the Gulf from Pensacola to New Orleans. There was a lunar halo of 22½° radius in the heavens last night. This with other remarkable feats performed by that luminary these last three nights set every old weather dog along South and Battery streets busy prophesying a violent ebullition of nature in the very near future. Mails today are late arriving, the most serious delays being to western and southwestern mails over Pennsylvania roads.

Today's snowstorm was worse for navigation than a fog. Everything in the line of steam-craft was delayed, and the movements of sailing vessels suspended.

Reports from all parts of New York State show an exceedingly heavy fall of snow. In the Mohawk Valley the storm was unusually severe, more than eight inches having fallen today.

Reports from New Hampshire show the snow to be the heaviest in several years. At Bangor, Me., and vicinity the day was the coldest of the season, the mercury showing 25° below zero. Reports from several points in Vermont say that the storm was the most severe in many years. Street-cars are blocked and the railroads seriously delayed.

A dispatch from Deal Beach, N. J., says that the schooner Yale, which anchored off there today, was terribly pounded by the storm, and the crew had to be taken off by life-savers. She will probably be a total wreck.

THROUGHOUT NEW YORK.

ALBANY (N. Y.,) Dec. 26.—Two sections of the roof of the New York Central round-house at West Albany collapsed this afternoon under the weight of snow. Three men were badly injured.

UTICA (N. Y.,) Dec. 26.—A severe storm prevails throughout the Mohawk Valley. Snow is falling and trains on all railroads are late. The entire system of electric street railroads in this city is tied up.

IN PENNSYLVANIA.

WILKESBARRE (Pa.,) Dec. 26.—The snowstorm is still raging furiously. The snow is two or three feet deep in the streets. The electric street railways and horse cars are unable to run. Trains on all the railroads are delayed, and business is practically suspended throughout Wyoming Valley.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—Another big snowstorm is raging here. It has been snowing steadily eighteen hours, with no indication of cessation. Between twelve and fourteen inches of snow has already fallen. Trains are all behind time. Street car traffic on all but the cable roads is suspended.

SCRANTON (Pa.,) Dec. 26.—Snow has been falling all day and is now half a foot deep. The street-cars are not running and railway trains are delayed.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—The heavy snow was followed this afternoon by rain, and tonight it froze hard. Many telegraph and telephone wires are going down. The train service on the various roads is behind time. In the interior of the State snow fell today ranging from eight to ten inches.

IN NEW JERSEY.

ASBURY PARK (N. J.,) Dec. 26.—A heavy snowstorm prevails here, and a three-masted schooner stranded off the beach will probably be a total wreck.

POINT PLEASANT (N. J.,) Dec. 26.—A heavy storm of blinding snow is raging along the coast from Sandy Hook to Cape May. The wires are down and wrecks along the coast are feared.

IN NEW ENGLAND.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—The heavy snowstorm which began this morning continued until late this evening, accompanied by a gale of wind. The street-railway companies had great difficulty in moving cars, and the steam railroads are all behind time. Although the storm has raged with great severity along the coast no marine dissasters are yet announced. The storm was general throughout New England.

SPRINGFIELD (Mass.,) Dec. 26.—The storm is delaying travel, all trains being late and the electric street-cars rendered almost useless. Ten inches have fallen and it is still coming.

PORTLAND (Me.,) Dec. 26.—A heavy gale is blowing from the northeast with mercury at 10° above. Snow is falling fast and drifts badly. Trains are delayed.

TWO VESSELS ASHORE.

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 26—The schooner Bill Stowe of Boston and the schooner Hurlburt of Gloucester went ashore during the heavy storm this afternoon. Capt. Thurston, Steward Hammond and Seaman Lawrence of the Hurlburt, were drowned. All of the others were rescued with great difficulty.

IN THE DISTRICT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Washington has experienced the heaviest snowstorm in years, and this morning travel of all kinds was almost suspended. The snow was ten inches deep on the level. Street-car riding was precarious and pedestrianism difficult. Through trains from the South and West were delayed.

IN OTHER STATES.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 26.—A heavy snowstorm has prevailed here, followed by rain. Reports from Virginia and Maryland indicate a very heavy snowfall and much delay to traffic.

STAUNTON (Pa.,) Dec. 26.—There is two feet of snow on the ground, blocking all of the country roads.

LEXINGTON (Ky.,) Dec. 26.—The heaviest storm of sleet ever known here occurred yesterdsy afternoon and during the night. Shade trees and telegraph and telephone poles were broken and miles of wire were down. The city fire-alarm system is entirely ruined.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 26.—It is estimated that at least seven inches of snow fell. It drifted in many places to depths of two or three feet. Street-car travel is impeded.

LYNDONVILLE (Vt.,) Dec. 26.—The thermometer was 40° below zero last night and 30° below this morning.

IT BLEW A GALE.

THE SOUND REGION VISITED BY HEAVY WINDS.

Vessels Torn from Their Moorings and Tossed About Like Corks—Much Damage Done to Railroads.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SEATTLE (Wash.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The city was visited yesterday by the heaviest windstorm ever known. The storm continued all day. Vessels in the harbor were torn from their moorings and tossed about like corks. Large trees, telegraph and electric wires were laid low. All railroad travel was suspended. Many buildings were demolished. The damage will be heavy. George Bell, a wood chopper, was crushed to death in his tent by a falling tree.

Magnus Nelson, a railroad laborer, was struck by a large fir tree, which crushed his skull. Nelson lived about an hour. A tree five feet in diameter fell across the barn of S. T. Clark, on Melford street, and crused in the roof, and a large beam in the peak of the roof fell, killing a large dray horse and fatally wounding another. No reports of accidents down the sound have yet come in. Vessels from that direction report the storm not so severe as here.

Reports from Snohomish state that yesterday's gale was very disastrous, particularly to the Lake Shore and Eastern road. Huge trees were blown across the telegraph lines in a score of places, thus rendering communication impossible. A long trestle over a deep ravine was broken by a large fir tree being blown down upon it. Above Snohomish there was some obstruction in the shape of trees across the track. The Seattle and Northern road also suffered great damage on the Snohomosh flats. The wind at Ballard lifted the heavy pattern shop of the Iron and Steel Works from its foundation, turned it part way round and nearly wrecked it. At Redmond on the Seattle and Lake Shore road, a barn was blown down and several cattle killed. In Snoqualmie county huge trees were upturned and the wagon roads were nearly all blockaded.

The Seattle and Montana contractors estimate the damage to the roadbed at $15,000. Chief Engineer Donovan, of the Fairhaven and Southern, says that the storm did but little damage in the Bellingham Bay country.

MUST WITHDRAW OR QUIT.

Railroad Telegraph Operators Ordered to Leave the Union.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The ulimatum of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern that all telegraphers on that road must withdraw from the Order of Railway Telegraphers or leave the employ of the company is believed here to be the beginning of a general movement in that direction. It is believed that several roads of Chicago will soon follow the example of the Lake Shore. The opposition of the railways to the order has developed since it has shown a tendency to affiliate with the Brotherhood of Telegraphers Commercial Operators, and has refused to teach telegraphy to apprentices sent to the various offices by the companies to learn the business. Outside of railway circles it is believed that the result of the crusade will be practically a consolidation of the two telegraph orders.

Advance of the Railroads.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Statistics compiled by the Railway Age show that the construction during 1890 of about six thousand and eighty miles, as against 5200 last year. Over two thousand miles of road under construction are in the Southern States, and over one thousand in the Southwestern States. The Northwest shows 1057 miles, due largely to the active building operations of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads.

Killed in a Quarrel.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.,) Dec. 26.—David Trijello, a restaurant-keeper, and Ignacio Reyez had a quarrel last night at Jerome, when the former shot and killed Reyez. Trijello claims that he shot in self-defense. There were no witnesses to the killing, and Trijello came to Prescott and surrendered to the Sheriff.

In the Icy Lake.

COBOURG (Ont.,) Dec 26.—While returning from a dancing party twenty-two persons broke through the ice on Rice Lake. All succeeded in getting out, but many were severely frost-bitten and later Miss Elsie Johnson died.

Fertilizer Works Burned.

CHARLESTON (S. C.,) Dec. 26.—The Edicto Phosphate and Fertilizer Works burned tonight, Loss $200,000.

Wants.

Wanted—Male Help.

WANTED—$75 TO $250 A MONTH can be made working for us. Persons preferred who can furnish a horse and give their whole time to the business. Spare moments may be profitably employed also. A few vacancies in towns and cities. B. F. JOHNSON & CO., 1009 Main St., Richmond, Va.

WANTED—AN ACTIVE, RELIABLE man, salary $70 to $80 monthly, with increase, to represent in his own section a responsible New York house; references. MANUFACTURER, Lock Box 1585, N.Y.

WANTED—40 FIRST-CLASS STONE-masons can find employment on and after Jan. 2, 1891, by applying to FRANCIS CUTTLE, Riverside, or MARTIN & CO., 131 and 135 W. First, Los Angeles.

WANTED—A THOROUGH TRANSIT-man with good transit; $4 per day and found; references required. Address POMONA, Cal., P. O. Box 101. 4

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS man or woman for outside work; an extra chance. Apply to WATSON, 105 Broadway. 28

WANTED—THREE GOOD SEWING machine men for city and country work. THE SINGER M'F'G CO., 216 S. Broadway.

WANTED—GOOD COAT-MAKER, AT once; good price paid. Address J. DERR, Flagstaff.

Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—$5 PER DAY WILL BE paid to any family or lady that is traveling from Los Angeles to Portland, Or., or by the way of Portland to anywhere else, that will take care of a 4-year-old girl on their way. Call at TIMES OFFICE for full instructions. 31

WANTED—A GIRL, 14 OR 16 YEARS, to take care of a 9-months' baby. Call at 618 MONTREAL ST. 28

WANTED—A COOK AND DISH-washer, at MRS. MILLER'S, 603 Downey ave. 28

WANTED—A WAITRESS AT 225 E. First st., EUREKA RESTAURANT. 28

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENeral housework at 524 S. Broadway. 28

Situations Wanted—Male.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE, ACTIVE business man, employment as salesman, book-keeper or any capacity. G., 123 HANCOCK ST. 28

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUTH of 19 at book-keeping or any kind of office work; good penman; 2 years' experience; good city references. 226 S. BUNKER HILL AVE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY BOY OF 16, to work for board and go to school; good recommendations. Address E. S. PEAK, 210 W. Fifth st., and will call. 28

WANTED—POSITION, JAN. 1, AS book-keeper, collector, or office work; A1 references. Address C. S., room 8, WILSON BLOCK, city. 28

WANTED—SITUATION AS FIRST-class cook, in family or boarding house. Apply CHINESE MISSION, 214 Wilmington st. 29

WANTED—SITUATIONS FOR TWO girls, cooking or housework, in Mexico. Apply at BOSTON OFFICE, 207 W. Fourth St.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN experienced Japanese; good cook, at ranch. Address A 28, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, A SITuation for the general work around a house. Address A 29, TIMES OFFICE. 23

WANTED—SITUATION BY MILKER used to driving milk wagon. Address A 25, TIMES OFFICE. 27

Situations Wanted—Female.

WANTED—NOTICE TO LADIES—BY special request, I have opened dressmaking parlors in connection with my school of dress-cutting; all orders intrusted to me will receive special attention; tailor-made suits a specialty; charges moderate. THE LADIES' TAILOR, 316 S. Spring st., over M. A. Jordan's Millinery Store.

WANTED—A POSITION AS NURSE by a trained nurse that has graduated from a training school of Chicago. Address MISS H PAINTER, Hotel Glenwood, 119 N. Daly st., East Los Angeles. 27

WANTED—MRS. DE Z. REED, A first-class dressmaker modiste from New York city, wishes engagements by the day; a perfect fit given. Address RAMONA HOTEL, room 66. 3

WANTED—FOR 2 HOURS' WORK daily, a thorough, experienced teacher of Latin; a graduate of Smith or Wellesly preferred. Address LATIN, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A POSITION BY AN EXpert typewriter and stenographer; 4 years' experience; references. Address MISS DAVIES, 822 Court st. 28

WANTED—AN ELDERLY EXPERIenced lady wants a comfortable home in return for part of her time. B. S., TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSE-keeper by an American widow lady; no objections to country. Call 1322 S. HILL. 28

WANTED—PARTIES DESIRING first-class work by a dressmaker from the East, can inquire at 220 S. HILL ST. 27

Wanted—To Purchase.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LOT and 4 or 5-room house, installment plan, worth $2000 or $3000; convenient to car line; will pay $150 per month. Particulars, CHAPEL & VICKREY, 110½ S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—A HIGHLY-IMPROVED place of 15 to 30 acres, mostly in oranges and some deciduous fruits, in the vicinity of Glendale, Pasadena or Alcambra. J. C. OLIVER, 101 N. Broadway. 27

WANTED—FURNITURE, HOUSE-hold goods of every kind, and in any quantity, large or small. If you want quick cash for anytning, interview or write to RED RICE, 143 and 145 S. Main st.

WANTED—TO BUY HORSES wagons, buggies, carriages and harness of all descriptions, or will sell on commission, at the LOS ANGELES HORSE MARKET, 235 S. Los Angeles St.

WANTED—HORSE AND PHAETON, suitable for a lady to drive; pay in first-class room and board, at Redondo. Address P. O. BOX 12, Redondo. 28

WANTED — COMBINATION POOL table cheap for cash, or will give good real estate in exchange. Address BOX 655, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—A GENTLEMAN'S DRIVing horse, gentle and sound, weighing about 1050 lbs. Address O. F. WEED, Pasadena. 29

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CALIgraph typewriter, in good condition. Address C. B. Q., TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—RANCH OF ABOUT 15 acres, with water, house and barn. 222 S. DOWNEY AVE., E. L. A. 28

Wanted—Agents.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC ENDOWment League admits to membership both sexes, insures for $5000 and pays in coupons of $500 each; no death liabilities, no medical examinations; membership, 6500; surplus funds $110,000; admission fee, $5. Wanted, intelligent male and female agents. BYRON E. HUNT, Agent, 321½ S. Spring st.

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—SPECULATORS—
ORANGE
TREES.
A rare chance for you. 25,000 choice Navel and Mediterannean buds, for sale as a whole. BOSTICK BROS., Terrace Nursery, Colton, Cal.

WANTED—THE CONSENT OF 10,000 smokers, to send each a sample lot of 150 "Nickel" cigars and a 20-year gold-filled watch, by express C. O. D., $5.25, and allow examination. HAVANA CIGAR CO., Winston, N. C.

WANTED—25,000 ORANGE SEEDlings, seed-bed stock from 6 inches high, upward; state, size, price and location. GOWEN EBERLE & CO., 132 N. Spring st.

WANTED—RHOADES & REED WILL pay the highest cash price for second-hand furniture, buggies, wagons, surreys and harness. Cor. SECOND and BROADWAY.

WANTED — CLEARWATER LAND in exchange for 6-room house and lot in city on cable and horsecar lines. T. J. LUCCOCK, Clearwater. 27

WANTED — BUSINESS MEN AND fruit growers to buy orange land at Redlands on 10 years' time. See ad of W. P. McINTOSH, on page 3.

WANTED—ARTISTIC PICTURE framing, lowest prices. HURNDALL'S, 113 W. Third St., between Spring and Main.

WANTED—THE HIGHEST PRICES paid for carriages, wagons and buggies, at 629 S. Main st., CHAS. E. BURRELL

WANTED—MONEY ADVANCED ON horses and carriages, at C. D. NEWTON, Fashion Stables, 219 E. First st.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE CARpenter work for rent of dwelling house. A No. 26, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—GOODS OF ALL KINDS to store at SANDERS' WAREHOUSE, 251 San Pedro st.; cheap rates.

WANTED—SECURITY FOR $500 loan. EDWIN BAXTER, 7 and 8 Jones Block.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND wagons and carriages. 128 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED—TO BUY MORE BUILDings to move. NARAMORE, Wilson Blk

WANTED—PICTURES TO FRAME, cheapest place, at BURNS'S, 256 S. Main st.

Wants.

Wanted—To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT A GOOD, small house, with from 1 to 50 acres of land suitable for grain or fruit and poultry. Apply BUDLONG AVE., second house north of Jefferson, or BOX 29 University P. O. 27

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND wife, a small cottage or 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms, in nice location. Address B. F., TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—2 FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping; close in; must be cheap; state price. Address A 27, TIMES. 27

WANTED—THREE UNFURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Address A 30, TIMES OFFICE. 29

Help Wanted—Male and Female.

WANTED—SALESMAN, CITY; OIL-house man; 4 drivers; porter, private place; country store salesman, speak Spanish and German; man and wife; stableman; $65, operator typewriter; mill man; 14 girls for housework; nurse; chamberwork; 5 store girls; waiters; many other situations. E. NITTINGER, 319½ S. Spring; established 1880. 27

WANTED—HELP FREE AND ALL kinds of work. 319½ S. Spring st. E. NITTINGER. Telephone 113.

For Sale.

For Sale—City Property.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME; only 15 minutes from business center on cable line; house has 12 rooms, including billiard room, hot and cold water with marble washstands; fire-places with elegant mantels in all bedrooms; dining-room has black walnut sideboard and mantel that cost over $500; electric bells and burglar alarm in all rooms; house piped for gas; cement walks in front and around house; flowers, shrubs and trees and hedges in profusion; large barn; lot 50x175; price, handsomely furnished, $9500; without furniture, $8500. It will cost more than the above price to build the house today.

Also a large lot 60x150; level and close to cable line on Boyle Heights; price only $425. Both of the above are big bargains. J. W. BROWNING, 142½ N. Main st.

FOR SALE—HERE IS A CHANCE for a fine home. I have an elegant dwelling house, with all the modern improvements, on the East Side Boulevard, being an extension of Brooklyn ave., which cost $10,000; sightly located, commanding view of Santa Monica, Catalina, Whittier, etc.; the avenue is lined with shrubs and ornamental trees, in a fine state of cultivation; pure spring water from mains of East Side Spring Water Co. Being unable to occupy it myself (it being just outside the city limits,) I will dispose of it for cash or trade at a bargain. Some one will get one of the finest homes in Southern California cheap. HENRY T. HAZARD, City Hall.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x150 TO 20 FOOT alley on Los Angeles st., near 11th, for $1400, $600 cash, balance to suit; biggest bargain in the city; next lowest price is $3000 in the same block; for a few days. 145 S. BROADWAY. 30

FOR SALE—$10 CASH, $10 MONTHLY, without interest, buys clear lot near Seventh and Lemon; street car, city water. A. C. HISCOCK, owner, 132 N. Spring st.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN THE WEST End Terrace Tract, near Westlake Park, at $250 to $800 each; terms easy. POHLHAUS & SMITH, 126½ N. Spring St.

FOR SALE—HARD-FINISHED COTtage; 60-foot lot, near cable Boyle Heights, $950. Call on FISHER, Phillips Block, Spring st.

FOR SALE—$6000; A FINE BUSINESS property; rents for $50 a month. Call at 126½ N. SPRING ST., room 3. 28

FOR SALE—$250 CASH BUYS LOT near Ninth. OWNER, 1007 S. Main St.

For Sale—Country Property.

FOR SALE—REDLANDS; A CHOICE property consisting of 28 acres, unimproved, 2 miles from center of city, between Redlands and Crafton; land slopes to the north, affording a picturesque view of the whole valley, and adapted to the cultivation of the orange, fig and raisin grape; price, $50 per acre, as a whole; for subdivision or cultivation, this tract, at the price offered, is a decided bargain. Come and see it. J. W. WATERS, San Bernardino.

FOR SALE—A PARTY WHO WANTS a piece of ground to improve and make a living on, can buy 10 or 20 acres 10 miles from Los Angeles and a half mile from railroad, on his own terms; this is excellent soil and is well adapted for deciduous or small fruits or chicken ranch; cash no object; a good opportunity for the right man. Address P. O. BOX 666, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—ALESSANDRO; $20 AND $50 per acre; we offer 640 acres good and at $20, and 320 acres extra-choice at $50 per acre, if taken soon; surrounded by Alessandro Colony lands, near Riverside, and railroad through land; station adjoining; these are bargains, being choice and cheap. Come and see them. A. P. COMBS, Riverside.

FOR SALE — THE BARDSDALE Tract, 1200 acres, selling in 10 acre subdivisions on easy terms; best tract of land in the Santa Clara Valley; is well adapted to orange and general fruit-growing; abundance of water fully secured. J. R. McKEE, agent, Bardsdale, Ventura Co. 1

FOR SALE—ONTARIO; $75 PER acre; a choice tract of 144 acres, unimproved, ¾ mile west of Euclid ave.; best of orange and lemon land; beautifully situated; for subdivision, cultivation or investment, cannot be excelled; a bargain. Come and see it. T. S. KNOLES, Ontario.

SPECIAL SALE — THE OWNER died; left a fine, cultivated ranch; to settle estate, must sell 20 to 175 acres best corn, fruit and alfalfa land; artesian water; pays an income; rare opportunity. W. G. COWAN, administrator; E. BAXTER, attorney, 7 and 8 Jones Block.

FOR SALE—$9000; REDLANDS, CAL. The finest brick block in the city, lot 40x20; leased for 1891 at $1000, 1892, $1100; productive property; fine investment; terms, one-half cash; no exchange. Address S. E. LUCAS, Redlands, Cal. 27

FOR SALE—OLIVE AND FRENCH prune orchard, in foothills, warm belt; suitable for citrus fruits and early vegetables; running water, piped, etc.; only $50 per acre; 12 miles from Los Angeles. OWNER, at Eclectic Book Store, cor. Second and Main.

FOR SALE—ON LONG TIME, AT low rate, 90 acres of fine fruit land, in foothill region, or will exchange for good residence property in the city. Call on or address M. N. SHELDON, rooms 9 and 10, Phillips block.

FOR SALE—NO MONEY NEEDED; splendid opportunity to buy some fine fruit and farming land near Redondo Beach; good soil; terms to suit settlers. E. A. MILLER, northeast cor. Main and 23d st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE FOR house and lot and some cash, 25 acres at Glendale, all in fruit; house, 8 rooms, and outbuildings; good water right; cow, 2 horses, buggy, wagon and farming tools. See F. A. HUTCHINSON, 213 W. First st.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; 10 TO 20 acres; orange trees in bearing; adjoining Gibbs at Vernondale; good neighborhood; just outside city; investigate. J. C. SAULSBURY, 132 N. Spring st., or William Niles, E. Washington st., cor Maple ave.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, NEAR DOWney city depot, including 20 water shares; land all fenced, with good house and barn, bearing fruit trees and young orange trees; to be sold very cheap. Call at 444 ALISO ST.

FOR SALE—ALESSANDRO AND Bear Valley water; 1 inch to 4 or 8 acres; fruit land with this water, $30 to $60 an acre; no bad winds. N. P. OAKES, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR RENT; 18 ACRES ALfalfa land, in artesian belt, near Norwalk; house, etc., near station and school. Inquire at TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES OF FINE land in Antelope Valley, $8 per acre. POHLHAUS & SMITH, 126½ N. Spring st.

FOR SALE—MY RANCH ON SAN Gabriel; abundant water; finest for oranges; also peaches, apricots, figs, prunes, etc.; will exchange for city residence. OWNER, 8 Jones Block.

FOR SALE—A RELINQUISHMENT 160 acres at Redlands. BOX 149, Redlands.

To Let—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—COAL AND WOOD YARD; good location; nominal rent; fully equipped, including engine, saws, sheds, wagons and horses; also steam carpet beater, alone worth $250; price, if taken within next few days, only $750. W. G. & F. A. BRADSHAW, 119 N. Spring st.

FOR SALE—5000 EXTRA-FINE orange and lemon trees, in lots to suit; Washington Navel orange and Villa Franca lemon, 4-year root, 1-year bud. M. G. WILLARD, 110 S. Broadway, Los Angeles. 1

FOR SALE—CHEAP, WHOLESALE, 500,000 blue gums, cypress, grevilleas, peppers, acacias, dracaenas, guavas. Nursery, cor. 23d and Main sts. T. WIESENDANGER, 56 Bryson-Bonebrake block.

FOR SALE—10,000 OF THE CHOICEST 4-year-old navels, Mediterranean sweets and lemons, grown right here in Redlands, at $1.50 each. Address S. E. LUCAS, Redlands, Cal. 27

FOR SALE—STRAWBERRY AND blackberry plants, 25c and 75c per hundred, delivered. Address J. A. GATES, 745 W. California st., Pasadena, Cal. 30

FOR SALE—100 CAR-LOADS GOOD stable manure in lots to suit. Freight low. For particulars address F. P. QUIGLEY, Station "A," Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE, HEAVY draft horse; about 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs. BRYANT BROS., Natick House, Los Angeles, Cal. 28

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE IN A small but well-paying hotel; rooms all full; easy terms. Address J. P. MATHES, San Bernardino.

FOR SALE—DECKER BROS.' UPright piano; fancy walnut case; at a bargain. 327 W. FIFTH ST., near Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—PEPPER TREES; 2000, more or less, 4 to 8 feet high; 5 cents; less and more. BOX 1185, Station C, city.

For Sale.

For Sale—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—WAGONS, CARRIAGES and buggies at low prices, to make room for new goods. 128 SAN PEDRO ST.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; FINE NEW gentleman's clothing, etc.; also some ladies silk dresses, at 613 ST. JULIAN ST. 28

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; A FINE business corner; also good-paying bee ranch. 230 DOWNEY AVE.

FOR SALE—FRUIT AND CIGAR store; owner leaving the city. Inquire at 604 S. SPRING ST. 29

FOR SALE CHEAP—AN UPRIGHT Steinway piano. 940 N. COURT CIRCLE, city. 28

FOR SALE—SEED BARLEY, IN SANDERS' WAREHOUSE, 251 San Pedro st.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—COSTLY piano for lot. R 60, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—3 SHOWCASES AND other fixtures. 249 S. MAIN ST. 31

For Sale—Houses.

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 6 ROOMS; lot 50x150, barn, lawn, etc., on Bonnie Brae Tract; a nice home for $3250 cash.

House of 8 rooms, lot 50x150, stable, etc., on 25th st., near Grand ave., only $3250.

House, 10 rooms, on Hill st., near 10th st., all modern improvements, only $8500.

3 fine lots, fronting Seventh-st. park, only $1400 each.

Fine lot on Union ave., close to car line, fine view, only $1200.

55 feet on west side of Grand ave., near 21st st., only $2100.

10 acres on Central-ave. car line, very cheap, part trade, $6000.

10 acres at Ontario, in oranges; house, barn, etc., only $5000.

25 acres at Rialto, with water; 5500 young orange trees, 2 years old; very fine land, on Main ave., $200 per acre on very easy terms.

Fine place at Ontario; nice house and other improvements, on Euclid ave.; in bearing oranges, including 3000 young budded orange trees, 4000 2-year-old seedlings; house and barn cost over $3000; price, $10,000; one-half cash, balance when nursery stock is sold.

10 acres at Ontario, all in oranges; one-third Med. sweet, two-thirds navel, all 3 years old; price, $500 per acre.

14 acres near Santa Anita, all in Washington navels 4 and 5 years old; a large number of strawberries and raspberries 14 shares of mountain water, all necessary farming implements, 2 fine horses, chickens, etc.; house, barn, etc., only $7000.

5 and 10-acre tracts, adjoining the city, at low figures.

Money to loan. JAMES GRANT, 104 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SNAP BARGAINS. Modern 8-room house, 136 W. 25th st., $3250.

House, 11 rooms, 143 N. Walnut st., $3100.

Modern 7-room house, 2607 New York ave., $1800. F. A. HUTCHINSON, 213 W. First st. 28

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, IF taken immediately, a handsome 7-room cottage on Adams st., with barn, cement walks, lawn etc., just newly painted and beautifully decorated, one and half blocks from street-car line. Call or address 321 S. SPRING ST. 31

FOR SALE—$500; $200 CASH, $500 balance $10 per month; 4-room cottage, hard finish; 1 acre ground, running water; fine poultry ranch; cost the owner $1350; close in. 112 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—HANDSOME NEW COTtage of five rooms, located between Grand ave. and Figueroa streets; graded street, hot and cold water and gas piped throughout; will sacrifice if sold soon. Apply to J. R. BOAL, Agent, cor Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—AT A GREAT SACRIfice, a furnished 5-room cottage; large lawn, fine shade trees; on good street-car line; lot 50x150; owner going East. 1623 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL RESIdence on Olive st., near 2 car lines; this is the cheapest property in Los Angeles; call and see it. GEO. S. ROBINSON, 132 N. Spring st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—MODERN house, 8 rooms, stable, lawn, carpeted and window shades; handsomely papered; cable car POINDEXTER & LIST, 125 W. Second.

FOR SALE—$125 CASH AND $15 PER month will buy a nice 6-room cottage, near 10th and Pearl sts.; price only $1200. Why pay rent? I. S. SHERMAN, 215 W. First st.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; FOR A few days, a beautiful 7-room house, hall, bath, closets, close to cable cars, $2100; worth $3000. F. A. HUTCHINSON, 213 W. First st.

FOR SALE—HOUSE; 4 ROOMS, hard finished, closets and pantry; lot 50x130. Call at 1355 PRIMROSE AVE., E. L. A.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, 1 WEEK only; corner grocery, with building, $650. Inquire 103 N. Main st., DRUG STORE. 2

FOR SALE—$1800 WILL BUY FINE new house of 7 [illegible] I. S. SHERMAN, 215 W. [illegible]

FOR SALE—CHEAP; 7-ROOM HOUSE, near Pearl st. J. P. LAMOREE, 1008 Olive.

Live Stock.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT A HORSE or cow, it will pay you to call at the Los Angeles Horse Market, 235 S. Los Angeles St. We have fresh family and dairy cows, Jerseys, Durhams and Holsteins, giving from 4 to 5 gallons of milk per day; also a few fine driving and draught horses, broken and unbroken. This stock will be sold at prices to suit the times. Give us a call and we will please you. C. E. CROWLEY.

FOR SALE—4 GOOD DRIVING horses and 4 work teams; also 1 gentleman's good driving horse; can show 2:20 gait, at C. D. NEWTON, Fashion Stables, 219 E. First st.

FOR SALE—A SPAN OF GENTLE mules, wagon and harness; will work single; well broken; weight, 2300. Apply 101 S. FLOWER ST., cor. First. 28

FOR SALE—JUST ARRIVED, 2 CARloads of fine young mares and horses, to be seen and on sale at WICKERSHAM'S STABLES, 225 and 227 Aliso st., L. A. 27

FOR SALE—KIND FAMILY COWS, from $35 up; installment plan; at NILES'S HOME RANCH, E. Washington St., near San Pedro st.

FOR SALE—AN EXCELLENT FAMily horse, at a bargain. W. H. GRIFFIN, 213 W. First st.

FOR SALE—FAMILY HORSE, CARriage or phaeton. No. 803 GRAND AVE. 29

FOR SALE—FINE SPAN OF MULES, at WICKERSHAM'S, 225 Aliso st. 27

Money to Loan.

$1,500,000 TO LOAN AT R. G. LUNT'S LOAN AND INSURANCE AGENCY, Redick Block, corner of First and Broadway. Loans made on improved city and country property; 9 per cent. gross city, 8 per cent. gross country. Building loans made. Bonds negotiated. AGENT FOR THE GERMAN SAVINGS AND LOAN SOCIETY, Of San Francisco, Cal.

$1,000,000. SECURITY LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY Of Southern California, 123 W. SECOND ST., BURDICK BLOCK, Los Angeles, Cal. We are prepared to make loans on improved city or ranch property in sums from $500 to $500,000, with dispatch, at CURRENT RATES. H. M. CONGER, Pres't. G. W. STIMSON, Vice-Pres't. M. W. STIMSON, Sec'y. E. F. SPENCE, Treas. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Trustee.

PACIFIC LOAN COMPANY LOANS money in any amounts on all kinds of personal property and collateral security; on pianos without removal, diamonds, jewelry, sealskins, horses, carriages, libraries, bicycles and building association stock, or any property of value; also on furniture, merchandise, etc., in warehouse; partial payments received; money without delay; private offices for consultation; all business confidential; will call if desired. W. E. DEGROOT, manager, rooms 14 and 15, 124½ S. Spring st.

LOS ANGELES LOAN COMPANY will loan money on pianos without removal, diamonds, jewelry, carriages, horses and anything of value; private rooms for consultation; money without delay; all business confidential; rooms 8 and 9 Wilson block, corner First and Spring sts. W. D. ECKSTEIN, Manager.

MONEY TO LOAN ON ALL KINDS of personal property and collateral security, in sums to suit; no commission. CRAWFORD & McCREERY, room 11, Los Angeles National Bank Building, cor. First and Spring sts.

$500,000 TO LOAN UPON IMproved city and country property; lowest rates; loans made with dispatch. Address The Northern Counties Investment Trust (limited), FRED J. SMITH, Agent, Pomona, Cal.

POINDEXTER & LIST, BROKERS—125 W. Second st., loan money on good real-estate, stocks and bonds; loan investments and collection of rents and interest receive prompt attention. If you wish to lend or borrow, call on us.

$1,000,000 TO LOAN AT SIX to eight per cent. on improved property—city, town or acreage—in large and small sums. CHALFANT & GREENING, Perrett Building, 127 W. Third St.

G. S. ROBINSON LOANS AT 8 PER cent, city and country property. 132 N. SPRING.

MONEY LOANED BY T. C. NARAMORE, Wilson Block, for 9 per cent. in city and 8 per cent. in country, I pay the taxes.

$1000 TO LOAN ON GOOD IMproved real estate, 10 per cent net. Call at 130 E. 33D ST. 29

MONEY TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED city or country property. A. E. POMEROY, 105 S. Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN, IN LARGE OR small amounts, at low rates, by RILEY & PINNEY, 227 W. First st.

Church Notices.

☞ FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, COR. Broadway and Sixth. D. Read, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subject for evening, "Faith Reasonable." Baptism after evening sermon. Seats free. All invited.

Business Opportunities.

RARE OPPORTUNITY—A COUNTRY store for sale, now doing a paying business, with a well assorted stock; will invoice, with store, about $7000; near the city. Inquire 125 W. SECOND ST., from 10 to 12 o'clock.

BUSINESS CHANCE—$2000 WILL buy the best restaurant and lunch parlor in the city, paying from $400 to $500 per month. Address O., LOCK BOX 1036, Station C, Los Angeles. 6

FOR SALE, EXCHANGE OR TO RENT, a first-class restaurant, handsomely fitted up and ready for business. Apply at once to G. C. EDWARDS, 106 Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—AT ONCE; ON ACCOUNT of serious illness, a nice book and stationery business. Apply to E. D. BRONSON, 429 S. Spring st.

WANTED—NO. 1 SALESMAN AS partner in commission, shipping and produce business, with capital of $5000. P. O. BOX 1162.

FOR SALE—HALF-INTEREST IN nursery; good, established business. Apply to PARCELL BROS., 213 W. First st.

GOOD OPENING FOR GENERAL store and produce dealer. Address AGENT, Bardsdale, Ventura Co., Cal. 28

FOR SALE—DRUG STORE; PAYING well, doing a fine business. Address P. O. BOX 1228, Station C.

To Let.

To Let—Houses.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINgle or en suite; also nice rooms for light housekeeping; fine bath, hot and cold water; all conveniences; terms reasonable. Call at 560 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—AN EXCELLENT APARTment house and tourist hotel; very excellently located; 40 rooms, in splendid condition; very low rent. W. H. GRIFFIN, 213 W. First st.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHed house, 8 rooms, bath and pantry; newly decorated; stable, lawn, flowers, etc. Apply on premises 816 PEARL ST., near Eighth.

TO LET—11-ROOM HOUSE; MODERN improvements, large lot, barn, etc.; one of the finest residences on the hills; close to cable. M. S. TYLER, 144 N. Spring st. 4

TO LET—A 4-ROOM HOUSE ON THE corner of Hill and 17th sts., $12 per month. Apply room 3, REDICK BLOCK, 238 W. First st., cor Broadway.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE, Boyle Heights; 6 rooms, bath, etc.; nice yard and barn. Inquire 332 and 334 S. SPRING ST.

TO LET—4-ROOM HOUSE, NO. 314 Beaudry st., between Third and Fourth; price, $8 per month. Inquire on PREMISES. 29

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE AND stable; nice home; also pleasant, sunny rooms on Main st. Call 227 W. FIRST ST.

TO LET—FINE COTTAGE, 7 ROOMS and bath, on 11th st., only $12 per month. I. S. SHERMAN, 215 W. First st.

TO LET—NICE 20-ROOM LODGING house, only $35 per month. I. S. SHERMAN, 215 W. First st.

TO LET—A 2-STORY RESIDENCE; 9 rooms, modern improvements. No. 1455 WRIGHT ST. 28

TO LET—HOUSES ALL OVER THE city. C. A. SUMNER & CO., 7 S. Broadway.

TO LET—THE 3-STORY BRICK building, 631 S. MAIN ST. 5

To Let—Rooms.

TO LET—MARKHAM HOUSE, FURnished rooms; 2 large parlors, with folding bed and grate; alcove rooms. Adjoining P. O., 608½ Broadway.

TO LET—OFFICE ROOMS, SINGLE or en suite, suitable for physicians or lawyers, in Opera House Building. Inquire Room 1, OPERA HOUSE.

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms; cooking stove; neat and clean; close in. $6. 432 HOPE, between Fourth and Fifth.

TO LET—CHEAP, 2 SUITES OF 3 large, pleasant rooms each, for housekeeping, unfurnished. 306 AMELIA ST. 28

TO LET—THE SOUTHWESTERN, 108 and 110 MAYO ST. Single rooms, 75 cents to $1 per week, 20 cents per night.

TO LET—ELEGANT, FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. S. E. cor. MAIN and FIFTH. 28

TO LET—KITCHEN AND BEDROOM, furnished or unfurnished, $6 per month. 625 W. FIFTH ST. 28

TO LET—3 ROOMS AND BATH, FOR housekeeping, at 459 S. Hill. Inquire at 411 W. FIFTH ST. 27

TO LET—TO [illegible] GENTLEMAN, pleasant, sunny [illegible] private family. 655 S. SPRING ST.

TO LET—HALF OF STORE AT 138 S. SPRING ST., between First and Second, from January 1.

TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURnished rooms, with or without board. 421 WALL ST. 14

TO LET—IRVING, 220 S. HILL, NEAR Second; sunny rooms; housekeeping privileges.

TO LET—WINTHROP, 330½ SOUTH Spring; rooms furnished and unfurnished. 29

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM IN private family. Apply 425 S. BROADWAY. 2

TO LET—UNFURNISHED ROOMS. NORTON BLOCK, Cor. Seventh and Hill.

TO LET—FURNISHED SUITE FOR housekeeping, for $12, at 518 REGENT ST.

CALDERWOOD, 308 S. MAIN ST. Furnished rooms with baths.

Unclassified.

MRS. CROTZER, PROFESSIONAL nurse; speaks both English and German. Residence, 250 Upper Main st., ERNEST-GILMORE BLOCK, rooms 24 and 25. No objection to children or housework.

DO GASOLINE STOVES EXPLODE? Never, when in good order, cleaned and repaired. M. D. BLACKMAN, 403 S. Spring st. Tel. 1008.

REMOVED—L. B. COHN, THE PAWNbroker, has removed to 146 N. MAIN ST., opposite Western Union Telegraph Office.

THE HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR cast-off clothing at the MECHANIC'S SECOND-HAND STORE, 111½ Commercial st.

E. GREENGART PAYS THE HIGHest price for second-hand clothing. 107 COMMERCIAL ST.

SHIPPING NEWS.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 26, 1890.

The following were the arrivals and departures for the past twenty-four hours:

Arrived—Dec. 26, steamer Santa Rosa, Alexander, from San Diego, passengers and merchandise to S. P. Co.

Sailed—Dec. 26, steamer Santa Rosa, Alexander, to San Francisco, passengers and 130 tons of merchandise to P. C. S. S. Co.

Due to arrive—Dec. 26, steamer Los Angeles, Leland, from San Francisco and way, passengers and merchandise to S. P. Co. Dec. 27, steamer Los Angeles, Leland, from Newport, passengers and merchandise to S.P. Co. Dec. 28, steamer Pomona, Hall, from San Francisco, passengers and merchandise to S. P. Co. Dec. 30, steamer Pomona, Hall, from San Diego, passengers and merchandise to S. P. Co.

Due to sail—Dec. 26, steamer Los Angeles, Leland, to Newport, passengers and merchandise to P. C. S. S. Co. Dec. 27, steamer Los Angeles, Leland, to San Francisco and way, passengers and merchandise to P. C. S. S. Co. Dec. 28, steamer Pomona, Hall, to San Diego, passengers and merchandise to P. C. S. S. Co. Dec. 30, steamer Pomona, Hall, to San Francisco, passengers and merchandise to P. C. S. S. Co.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were yesterday issued by the County Clerk.

Marco Siglie, aged 24, a native of Austria, and Honorine Le Masne, aged 24, a native of California, both of Los Angeles.

José de la Luz Lopez, aged 40, and Elanteria Alvarez, aged 30, both natives of Mexico and both of Fruitland.

When You Want

To make your money go a long way in buying Furniture Carpets or other household goods, just call and let us try to help you out in that direction.

W. E. BEESON, 235-237 W. First St.

FOR BEAUTY, for comfort, for improvement of the complexion, use only Pozzoni's Powder; there is nothing equal to it.

Pianos.

The finest stock of Pianos and Organs in the city at Gardner's, No. 229 W. Second st. Sold at wholesale this week.

Holiday Goods.

Christmas, cards, Gift books, plush goods, etc. Call and see our display.

GARDNER & CORTELYOU, 104 S. Spring.

Gardner,

The well-known piano man, has moved to 229 W. Second st. He is closing out his stock of fine Pianos and Organs at wholesale rates.

R. D. LIST, Notary Public. Legal papers carefully made. 125 W. Second. Tel. 720.

THE COURTS.

Validity of the Police Courts to Be Tested.

THE LEGAL POINTS RAISED

The Matter to Be Passed Upon by the Supreme Court—Business Transacted in Department One.

An endeavor is to be made to test the validity of the Police courts. An affidavit was yesterday filed with the Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court in this city by Ah Sing, arrested for running a percentage game, of which the following is a copy.

In the Supreme Court of the State of California—County of Los Angeles, State of California.—ss.

Ah Sing being first duly sworn, says, that he is a resident of the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California. That on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1890, one S. Bevan filed in the Police Court of the city of Los Angeles, a complaint against affiant duly sworn to, in which complaint was charged by said Bevan, under Section 330 of the Penal Code of the State of California, with having on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1890, within the city of Los Angeles, said county and State, wilfully and unlawfully carried on and conducted a certain percentage game then and there played for money, checks, chips, and other representatives of value with dice, checks, chips and other devices.

Second—That said Police Court is presided over by one M. T. Owens, a Justice of the Peace of Los Angeles city, and the said justice pretends to have jurisdiction over said offense and over affiant in said criminal action, by virtue of an act entitled "an act to provide for Police courts in cities having thirty thousand and under one hundred thousand inhabitants, and to provide for officers thereof," approved March 18, 1885, and claims and pretends to have authority to hold in said city a Police Court thereof.

Third—That affiant was brought before said court and arrainged before said judge, against his consent and his plea of "not guilty" entered in the docket of said pretended Police Court, and against the objections and consent of affiant, and the said justice claiming and pretending to have jurisdiction over said affiant and claiming and pretending to have authority to hold a Police Court in said city under and by virtue of the act hereinbefore referred to, against the objections of affiant set said case for trial, and threatens to and will proceed to try and render judgment in said cause notwithstanding that he is not authorized to hold a Police Court in said city, and is not a Police Judge of said city, and said Police Court has never been organized or created by any valid law, and said act hereinbefore referred to is void and in violation of Subdivisions First, Second and Third of Section 25, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of California.

Fourth—That said court has no jurisdiction of the offense charged in said complaint, and has no authority to proceed to try affiant upon the said charge because the punishment provided for in Section 330, against any person guilty of such offense may be by fine exceeding the sum of five hundred dollars, and may be imprisoned for more than six months.

Fifth—That said Police Court is proceeding to try affiant upon said charge without a jury, against the objections and consent of affiant, pretending to have authority so to do under section 5 of said act, although that part of said section with reference to trial by jury is unconstitutional, void and in conflict with section 689 of the Penal Code of the State of California, and in conflict with part 2, title 11, chapter 1 of the Penal Code of the State of California.

Sixth—Affiant further says that said court is not a Police Court of the city of Los Angeles. That said court has no jurisdiction of the offense charged against affiant. That said court has no jurisdiction over the person of affiant. That said court has no authority to proceed to trial in said cause without a jury. That the said justice has no authority to hold said court. And notwithstanding the premises the said justice threatens to and will and is now proceeding to try affiant; and affiant therefore makes this affidavit for the purpose of procuring a writ of prohibition to be issued out of this court to said justice of the peace and to said Police Court, to prohibit and restrain them and each of them from trying affiant under said complaint, and from holding said Police Court or in any wise taking jurisdiction of said offense or of the person of affiant.

Wherefore, he prays for the issuance of said writ and for such other and further relief as he may be entitled to. AH SING.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, 26th, day of December, 1890.

J. M. MEREDITH, County Clerk,
By C. A. HAMILTON, Deputy.

The following notice was served upon Justice Owens:

"In the Supreme Court of the State of California,—To the Police Court of the City Los Angeles, and to M. T. Owens, justice presiding:

"Please take notice that we have this day filed the affidavit of Ah Sing in the Supreme Court of the State of California, praying for an order that a writ of prohibition issue, directed to said Police court and to the judge thereof, commanding them to desist and refrain from any further proceeding in the case of the People of the State of California vs. Ah Sing and Ah Jack, or for such other and further relief as the court may see proper to grant; and you are further notified that the undersigned will at the opening of court on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1891, move the said Supreme Court for an order that said writ do issue, and said motion will be based upon the affidavit of Ah Sing and the complaint herein referred to, copies of which you are herewith served.

"Yours respectfully,

"WILLIS & APPEL
"Attorneys for Petitioner."

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES.

But little business was transacted in the Superior courts yesterday. In Department One, Judge Cheney sentenced Charles Lawson to serve a term of two months in the County Jail for assaulting I. F. Moody.

The cases of the four Long Beach parties charged with burglary in the second degree went over today.

The case against Leila Latta, charged with murder, will come up in Department Six on Monday next for trial. Judge Clark will sit for Judge Shaw who is confined to his home with an attack of sickness, but who will be out now in a short time as he is convalescent.

The McNally-Hutchinson contest case to determine who the legally-elected Superintendent of Streets of this city is, will be tried on the 29th inst before Superior Judge McKinley in Department Five.

CRIMINAL MATTERS.

The case against M. A. Botello, who was charged with having embezzled a horse, the property of Deputy Sheriff Murietta, was dismissed by Township Justice Savage yesterday.

Lucy Colston, who was arrested on a charge of having destroyed a written instrument, was discharged by Justice Savage yesterday.

A warrant was yesterday issued from the District Attorney's office for the arrest of a Chinese milk peddler termed "John Doe." The complaining witness was Ah Choo, a vegetable peddler, who alleged that he was assaulted with a stick of wood.

The examination of Ramon Pena, on a charge of assaulting an Indian named Pablo with intent to commit murder, was commenced before United States Commissioner Van Dyke yesterday, but was not concluded. The examination was continued until January 14. It is alleged that Pena assaulted Pablo with a knife at Cahuilla, an Indian village in San Diego county.

New Suits.

The following new cases were yesterday filed with the County Clerk:

The San José Ranch Company sued George W. Hughes, J. B. Hinkle and others to quiet title to certain real estate.

Mary E. Flashner sued David V. Waldron to have a certain judgment of June 4, 1875, set aside.

Samuel H. T. Frakes sued John C. Hannah and H. F. Hight for $1000 and foreclosure of mortgage.

José de Aenaz sued J. M. Taylor and Frances E. McDowell for $1400 and foreclosure of mortgage.

CLAYTON WHITE.

His Third Trial for Assaulting Gen. Mansfield.

The third trial of Clayton White, on a charge of assaulting Gen. John Mansfield in the latter's office, some weeks ago, commenced before Justice Owens and a jury yesterday afternoon. Almost identically the same testimony was given as in the previous trials, and which has heretofore been published. The trial was not concluded last evening, and will be resumed this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Since this case commenced 190 papers have been served by the police department as follows: November 21, warrants 2; November 24, subpœnas 5; November 26, jurors 24, subpœnas 2; December 2, subpœnas 4, jurors 24; December 3, subpœnas 3, jurors 6; December 8, subpœnas, 9; December 10, jurors, 30; December 12, jurors, 12; December 23, subpœnas, 8; December 25, jurors, 40; December 26, jurors, 25, attachments for jurors, 5. The above is only a sample of the work it requires to get a case disposed of in the minor courts, and in some Chinese cases it far exceeds the above, and if a man can only get a jury trial, he is almost sure to get off. In the Clayton White case, the defendant has conducted his own defense, and as he is a lawyer of more than average ability, and makes a good argument, he has always succeeded in securing a disagreement.

NEWSBOYS' CHRISTMAS.

PLEASANT ENTERTAINMENT AT THE HOME LAST EVENING.

Literary Exercises, Followed by a Supper and Christmas Tree—Solid Enjoyment for the Youngsters.

If you would study human nature in the rough, go into a crowd of little hungry newsboys as they are about to be fed, and there you will find it in an unadulterated state, untaught, untrained, uneducated, every act and word spontaneous, unstudied, and unrestrained by the conventionalities of social life, the very soul of the boy upon his sleeve.

It was a big, happy, noisy crowd that gathered at the Newsboy's Home, No. 319 First street, last night where an entertainment and a Christmas tree was given them. Every boy brought along a pair of lusty lungs, which at intervals were of service to him, in emitting as much noise as was possible to the square inch. As the writer entered a quaint little figure occupied the floor. She was arrayed in a long black dress, and on her shoulders was a white handkerchief crossed in soft folds upon her breast, and on her head she wore a big muslin cap with a broad frill, like those attached to the nightcaps of our grandmothers. She represented an aged and bent grand dame leaning upon her cane, and recited her selection with great effect. The cheers of the boys at the close showed their appreciation, and must have stirred the rafters upon the roof.

She was followed by little Pearlie Gleason, who gave a charming recitation, and after her came Hazel Baldwin, a tiny atom of a child, but possessing unusual elocutionary talent for one of her years.

The newsboys formed a quiet audience while the little misses were giving their recitations, but when they were done and the cake was brought in all the boy that there was in them broke loose, and the demands of the stomach were the only things listened to. The capacity of those small mouths was a marvel. Whole slices of cake would disappear in a couple of mouthfulls, and the arms outstretched for more resembled a naked forest.

Confusion reigned for a moment until the matron drew back with her beautiful supply of cake and informed them that they must wait to be helped. "The first one that grabs shall be put out." A policeman here came up the aisle and threaded his way among the boys. A look of consternation stole over the face of some of the little fellows at sight of him, at which one of the older boys whispered for their comfort:

"Oh, he ain't no reg'lar—he don't b'long on the force. He's jest a special."

Ah, but what a mixture of boys there was. White boys and black boys, Spanish and American, many of them the children of the street; some ragged and poorly clad; some well-kept and clean; some with hungry stomachs that are seldom well-fed; some who probably never taste of the good things of this life, only as the holidays come round and benevolent hearts remember them. How eagerly they drank the cool, sweet lemonade, and with what hungry eyes they regarded the great, rich birthday cake, worth $18, sent by Ebinger, and bearing in letters of red this inscription: "The Birthday of the Little Jesus." It was a rich fruit cake heavily frosted, and each boy was served with a generous slice. The story of that birthday in far off Bethlehem, the writer inferred, had been told them by the speaker earlier in the evening, and good order was maintained as it was served out to them, but one little chap there was who evidently had an appetite for cake, for he not only ate as he had opportunity, but his cap was more than half full of broken slices. He was no believer in any such adage as "Sufficient unto the day is the cake thereof," but his provident hand was looking out for the morrow.

The Christmas tree was handsomely decorated with simple gifts, something for each boy.

Poor little boys to whom the stern realities of life come home so soon, we rejoice that there are those who remember them, and that the Christmas time comes to them with something of the spirit of "peace on earth, and good will to men."

There is no class to whom the public owes more than to those same little newsboys who are up with the dawn the long year through, in rain and in sunshine, to bring the newspaper to our doors, that before the duties of the day begin we may learn the story of yesterday through all the world. Let the public remember their "Home," and make it one of comfort, where these little busy workers can find rest and care and helpful training. It is but just established, and hardly more than a beginning has been made, but it should become an institution of which Los Angeles may be proud.

YOUNG REDICK.

He Is Now Believed to Be in Mexico.

Shortly after young Redick left this city with the Stevens woman he was met in Tucson, Ariz., by Walter Vail. The young man was hard up, notwithstanding the rumor to the effect that he had quite a sum of money, and his mistress sold her diamonds and furniture for about $9000. He induced Mr. Vail, who knew nothing about his antics in this city, to indorse a check for $156.

Mr. Vail thought it perfectly straight until he reached this city and tried to cash the check, which was not worth the paper it was drawn on. The check was then presented to Redick's father, and when that gentleman was made known with the facts surrounding the case, he made the check good and proceedings were not commenced against Redick. The young man started for Mexico, and so far as is known he is now in that country.

KALAKAUA COMING.

He Will Arrive in Los Angeles Sunday Afternoon.

Mayor Hazard yesterday received a dispatch from Consul-General Carter, who is the diplomatic representative of the Hawaiian Kingdom to this country, announcing the fact that His Majesty, King Kalakaua, would arrive in this city Sunday enroute to San Diego.

Mayor Hazard made an endeavor to ascertain at what time His Majesty would arrive, and if he would remain long enough in the city to admit of a reception being given him appropriate to his rank.

The Southern Pacific officials could not give the required information, but today an endeavor will be made to secure it.

THE LOTTERY CASES.

The First Installment Disposed of Yesterday.

QUICK WORK MADE OF THEM

Harris and Greenwald Plead Guilty After Being Convicted in One or Two Cases—To Be Sentenced Today.

The first installment of the Louisiana Lottery cases, under the recent raid, came up before Justice Austin yesterday. There were eleven cases in all, six against Max Harris, the local agent of the Louisiana lottery in this city, and five against A. B. Greenwald, a Spring-street cigar dealer, the charge in each instance being selling lottery tickets. Both of these parties, together with several others, were arrested several weeks ago for the same offense, were convicted in the lower courts, and took an appeal to the Superior Court. The appeals were, however, withdrawn, and the matter finally settled by the payment of the fines imposed in the justices's courts, several of the guilty parties promising to stop the illegal traffic forthwith, which fact was taken into consideration by the magistrates' in fixing the penalty, which was reduced on that account.

It was not long, however, before the sale of lottery tickets was going as briskly as ever. Some few really did stop the sale of tickets, but the majority did not. Chief Glass accordingly ordered another "round-up," and the result has been that Harris and Greenwold were caught twelve or fourteen times each, and one or two others were also nabbed, who promptly paid their fines and got out of trouble. The plans of the police were carefully laid, and in every instance the ticket was secured as evidence, and the man who purchased it swore to the complaint, so that there was no chance for a "fall down."

As stated above, the first of the cases came up yesterday. When they were called before Justice Austin at 9:30 o'clock, the attorney for Harris asked for a continuance. He stated that Judge Fitzgerald had been engaged, but that gentleman was sick and could not be present, and his client had been too busy to take the necessary steps for his proper defense.

Justice Austin declined to grant any further continuance. He stated that the cases had been pending for some time, and that three postponements had already been granted to accommodate the defendant, who was fully aware of what was necessary to be done, and should have taken proper measures. He had extended more courtesies than usual in these cases, and that no further delay would be tolerated.

There was some further talk, and a continuance was granted until 2 o'clock in the afternoon, one of the attorneys for the defense having an engagement in the Superior Court.

At the afternoon session the trial of the cases was commenced, and Harris was convicted on three charges, when he called a halt, withdrew his plea of not guilty, heretofore entered, and pleaded guilty in all of the cases pending.

Greenwald was also convicted on one charge, when he, too, by his attorney, asked leave to withdraw his former pleas of not guilty, and pleaded guilty in the other cases pending.

This settled the matter for the time being, and Harris and Greenwald will come up for sentence this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

There are still pending five or six cases each against Harris and Greenwald, which will come up before Justice Owens.

The cases have been worked by Detectives Bosqui and Wallin, together with Officer Todd, and the manner in which they have been handled reflects credit on the officers.

SANTA MONICA.

Christmas Celebrations [illegible]ties—Out-door Pastimes.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 26.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The Christmas celebrations and festivities were ushered in on Christmas eve, when the Methodist and Episcopal churches had their usual children's services with the trees, etc. The Mexican portion of the population tripped the light fantastic toe in great form at Gumminger's, under the leadership of Manuel Marcus, who, though he has seen many years, is "just as young as he used to be." In the various homes the manifold pleasures of Christmastide were indulged in, and the little ones were consequently happy. The weather was fine, and the balmy atmosphere, luxuriant; bathing, and the many charms of out-door life were such, that in themselves, they were a Christmas gift, priceless and delightful.

At the Home the veterans were given a Christmas dinner, and good cheer reigned there as well as in town.

A number of Angeleños came down and spent the day on the beach, many staying all night to enjoy the moonlight evening beside the sea.

J. Mitchell was made more than happy Christmas morning by the arrival of a fine big boy. Mother and child doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Greene of Pasadena are spending a few days at the Casine.

Thomas J. Newby, who has been confined to his house for several weeks, is fast convalescing. He expects to be out soon.

The Polo players were all out yesterday on the grounds practicing for the coming game at Pasadena. They showed up in most excellent form and will undoubtedly put up a great game at the Tournament of the Roses.

The failure business has closed and it is hoped that Santa Monica will take a respite from such news for many years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith and their daughter, Miss Lucy Smith, of Portland, Or., are spending the winter here, guests of the Lawrence House.

The Ladies of St. Augustine hold the children's festival in honor of Christmas tonight at the church.

Miss C. Berry of New York is spending the winter here, a guest of the Lawrence.

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Real-estate Transfers.

[Only those transfers of $1000 and over are specified below. Those below $1000 are summarized at the end of the list.]

Friday, Dec. 26, 1890.

CONVEYANCES.

George Lightfoot and Selina S Lightfoot to A W Beery—Blocks 2 and 3 George Lightfoot's subdivision, M R 22, p 93, also including all int in N½ Monterey Road E½ of Diamond avenue, S½ of Oxley street, and W½ of Fair Oaks avenue, also all of Gladstone street between said blocks 2 and 3, $10,250.

Mariah Wheelock to S L Brown—Lot 29, West Depot add tract, $1500.

Emily May Roberts and David J Roberts to E Pinney and Mrs Harriet Pinney—N½ of W½ of lot 16 in sec 25 Ro Azusa de Duarte, $6000.

Christine J Waldenfels (formerly Christine J Mueller) and Caroline A Mueller to Max Goldschmidt—S½ of S½ of NE¼ of NE¼ of sec 14, T 1 S, R 14 W, designated as lot 9 I A Weid's sub, $1000.

B D Lev to Reuben Philips—Lots 29 and 20, block 7 Park tract, $4200.

Estate and guardianship of Edwin Ward an insane person—No 6682 order confirming sale of W 241 and 8 inches of the W½ lot 2 O'Hara tract Pasadena to Susan A. Defriez, $4520.

Cyrus Lindley to Milton Lindley—Lot 7 block E, M D Painter's subdivision M R 18 p 26, also lot 9 Axford and Landreths subdivision, M R 10 p 74 Pasadena, $1340.

Selina S Lightfoot and George Lightfoot to Thomas Gaskell—Lots 4 5 and 6, block 1 George Lightfoots subdivision M R 22 p 93 S Pasadena, $2000.

Sarah L Townsend to Horace V Crafts—24 James Townsend subdivision M R 30 p 53 Pasadena, $1000.

Kasper Cohn and G W Tubbs to H W Sylvester—Lots 2 and 3, block B, Walnut Grove tract, $2700.

SUMMARY.

Number over $1000	11
Amount	$35,710
Number under $1000	36
Amount	6,327
Number nominal	12
Total	$42,037

THE RAILROADS.

Exaggerated Rumors About the Cable Company.

A SENSATIONAL DISPATCH

What General Manager Crank of the Pacific Company Says—A Flat Contradiction of Several Stories.

During the past few months there have been all kinds of rumors flying around regarding the Chicago Cable Company and the Pacific Cable Company of this city, and it is now believed to be the doings of the enemies of C. B. Holmes, president of the cable roads. The following exaggerated dispatch has been sent out from Chicago by these people, whoever they are:

"It has been an open secret for some time that President C. B. Holmes, the head of the Chicago City Railway Company, and three or four other important street railway enterprises controlled by Chicago people, had become so involved by his operations as to be compelled to give a mortgage upon all his property, including even his homestead, to one of his directors as trustee, in order to protect one of the companies of which he was the head. There was, however, no disposition to make it public. The opposition to his reëlection to the presidency of the Chicago property has created so much talk about his unsuccessful operations in Los Angeles and about the steps which the directors of one of his enterprises were compelled to take to protect themselves against being involved by him, that it has brought all his operations, together with the matter of the mortgage, into general discussion, and consequent general publicity. If President Holmes had succeeded in selling the bonds of this Los Angeles cable railroad to the Londoners as he expected to be able to do, he never would have become involved himself, or at least would not have become involved for some years to come. But the Los Angeles bonds, to the extent of $1,700,000, were not sold in London. The road proved to have been built most expensively and altogether beyond the needs of that town. Mr. Holmes did not own the Los Angeles Railway, but was simply one of a committee of three sent out to buy 18,000 out of the 25,000 shares of the stock of the road as cheaply as possible. He came back and reported that the 18,000 shares could not be purchased under 32. It has been discovered that Mr. Holmes got the stock at less than 32 and contrived to keep one member of that purchasing committee in ignorance of that fact. The gentlemen who went out to Los Angeles to discover what ailed their property, also found out that the whole construction had evidently been with a view simply of making money for those people who were interested in the construction company; but if Mr. Holmes had simply disappointed the gentlemen who went into the Los Angeles road with him he would have had only the complaints of those gentlemen to meet; but that is not the case.

Mr. Holmes was president of the National Railway Construction Company, of St. Louis, one of the most successful enterprises Chicagoans have been interested in. When the California road got in such straits for money, Mr. Holmes, without proper authority, or, at any rate, by a great stretch of authority, made a loan of national railway money to the Los Angeles company on the security of the latter's bonds. It is this transaction that is pronounced irregular by the gentlemen who refer to it, which has really led to the move to oust Mr. Holmes from the management of the Chicago City Railway property, and probably to oust him from the management of all the outside properties in which Chicagoans are interested. The opposition to Mr. Holmes in the Chicago City Railway directory is headed by Director Erskine M. [illegible] election comes off January [illegible] a very disastrous thing to Mr. Holmes personally to be beaten at that election."

Hon. J. F. Crank, general manager of the Pacific Cable Company and vice-president, was seen in his office by a TIMES reporter yesterday, and stated that he is of the opinion that Mr. Holmes's enemies will not be able to succeed, as that gentleman has been at the head of the company for fifteen years and is backed by some of the strongest stockholders in the company. He took hold of the company when it was a very small and insignificant concern, and has built it up to one of the most powerful cable systems in the world.

Mr. Crank was one of the principal owners in the Los Angeles Cable Company when Mr. Holmes made the deal for 18,000 shares of the stock at 32, and he knows of his own knowledge that the deal was square, and that Mr. Holmes did not make a cent out of the transaction.

So far as the St. Louis deal is concerned, Mr. Crank is confident that there is no truth in it, as Mr. Holmes never had anything to do with the St. Louis Construction Company.

"Even should Mr. Holmes fail to be reelected at the annual meeting on the 15th of next month, it it will not affect the Pacific Cable Company in the slightest degree," said Mr. Crank, in conclusion; "but I do not believe his enemies can oust him. It is true that he has a number of irons in the fire, and is in financial troubles at the present time, but he is a man of wonderful resources, and I am confident he will pull through all right."

When asked when he proposes to go to work on the electric improvements on the horse-car lines, Mr. Crank replied that he does not think anything will be done until section 497 of the civil code, relating to street-car lines, is amended. At present the law does not provide for electric roads, and it would be dangerous to operate one, as the company would have no defense in case a person should be killed. Several bills have been prepared and will be presented to the next Legislature, and the law will be changed, but until it is, Mr. Crank does not intend to take any steps in that direction.

THE TERMINAL.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday by the Los Angeles Terminal Railway Company with a capital stock of $3,000,000. The directors are B. F. Hobart and R. C. Kerens of St. Louis, Mo., and Dan McFarland, W. B. Workman and T. B. Burnett of this city. The papers announce the consolidation of the Glendale and Pasadena, and the Los Angeles, Pasadena and Glendale companies.

The old stock will be retired and new issued. It is divided into 30,000 shares at $100 per share. The main line when completed will be from the bay of San Pedro through Los Angeles, thence through the San Fernando Valley to a point on the Pacific Ocean near Hueneme, Ventura county. Several branches will also be built from the main line to important sections not now touched by rail.

NOTES.

Westbound travel on both the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé is better now than it has been for four years past.

General Manager K. H. Wade of the Santa Fé returned from San Diego yesterday, where he went to spend Christmas with his family.

Another cargo of material arrived at San Pedro for the Belt Electric line yesterday. Several hundred thousand dollars worth of material has already reached this city.

The Southern Pacific's overland from the East was late yesterday for the first time since the summer washouts in Arizona. It made up time between this city and Yuma, and arrived here only two hours behind.

In Hard Luck, Indeed.

Police Detective M. T. Bowler, who buried his wife yesterday afternoon, is indeed in hard luck. Last night at 11:41 o'clock his little 2½-year old son died. Several weeks ago the little fellow swallowed a nutshell, and it was thought at the time that he would die in a few hours, but Dr. Morrison managed to pull him through, but a change took place the other day and he gradually sank until last night.

The time for the funeral has not yet been fixed, but it will probably take place tomorrow afternoon.

A Convict and a Lunatic.

Among the arrivals on the San Bernardino train yesterday morning was Deputy Sheriff Brown of San Bernardino county, having in charge a negro named William Woodward, en route to San Quentin to serve an eighteen-month sentence for burglary, and Spear S. Williams, a lunatic, en route to the insane asylum.

Williams was only discharged from the Phoenix, Ariz., asylum December 3, and went to San Bernardino, where his malady again asserted itself, and he became a raving maniac. He was gagged and had his hands muffled, so that he could do no damage. Both men were taken to the city prison, where they were kept until the departure of the Southern Pacific train for the North.

THE EAST SIDE.

Pleasant Social Event—No Trace of the Stolen Rig—Personals.

W. K. Saunders returned from Palm Springs, where he has been stopping for the past month, hoping to regain his health. He did not meet with as good success as was desired and will in a few days take a trip to Arrowhead Springs for the same purpose.

J. E. How, who lost his horse and wagon on Christmas morning, has failed to get any track of it since.

H. Kennedy returned on Christmas day from the Black Hills, where he has been stopping the past three months.

Fred Pierce, veterinary surgeon and stock inspector of Ventura county, is spending the holidays with friends in Los Angeles.

Charley Teel has received an appointment on Gov. Markham's staff.

Mrs. Haney has disposed of her property at Glendale and moved into her own house on Barvanca street.

Dr. J. K. Carson spent Christmas at Pomona with friends and relatives.

Miss Lulu Robinson of Ontario is spending the holidays with friends and relatives on the East Side.

A very pleasant surprise was given Fred Pierce and family last evening at the residence of Mrs. Pierce's father, Mr. Parmeter, where a large number of their acquaintances got together and spent the evening in a social visit.

L. V. Mitchell and his son C. W. Mitchell, came up from New Mexico to spend a few weeks with friends and rest after a few months' hard work mining. They report mining good.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

Lecture by Miss Rogers Tomorrow Afternoon.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Miss Ella Clementine Rodgers, supreme lecturer for the Royal Templars, will lecture on the general phases of temperance and of the society at the Trinity M. E. Church, South. Miss Rodgers comes very highly recommended from parties in the East, where she has previously labored, not only from ministers of the gospel but from the press as well. The organization of the Royal Templars of Temperance was incorporated in 1878, and has 40,000 members throughout the United States and Canada. Miss Rogers spoke from twenty-one pulpits in Syracuse, N. Y., and has quite a reputation.

Redlands.

REDLANDS, Dec. 26.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] Christmas was a charming balmy day. The stores were closed and people were out for a holiday.

Christmas the ball season opened here with a game by the Redlands and San Bernardino nines. Score: Redlands 14, San Bernardino 14.

A unique Christmas-tree service occurred at the Congregational Church. The children were not given presents, but made presents themselves and hung them on the tree for the Mission Indians, thus carrying out the true idea of Christmas by making others happy.

Rev. J. D. Rumsey and wife were made happy by a Christmas present from their church of a horse and buggy. The Baptist people show their appreciation of pastor and wife in a substantial way.

On New Year's day the Ladies' Auxiliary will give a dinner to the young men of the Y. M. C. A.

G. W. Meade has secured the vacant lot east of the Windsor, and will put up a business block immediately. This will be the fourth business block, including the Operahouse, that Mr. Meade has built this season.

"Farmers' Primer."

[Farm and Fireside.]

Some kind and obliging friend of the adulterators of hog's lard is sending out from New York a little pamphlet which he calls the "Farmer's Primer." The farmer who can be deluded by it has never advanced beyond the primer. It is intended to be an argument, but is only a vile attack on the Conger Lard Bill. The pamphlet is dedicated to farmers by "one of them," but its real purpose il to help the cotton-seed oil corporations and the compounders of cotton-seed oil and animal fats. One of its misleading statements is that the mixers of 320,000,000 pounds per annum of compound lard are the best customers of the hog-raisers. Every farmer knows that every pound of adulteration made and used displaces a pound of the pure article. Again, if cotton-seed oil is wanted by consumers as a substitute for lard, why is it not sold on its merits? Why not call the mixuure compound cotton-seed oil instead of compound lard? It finds its present market by being a fraud.

Settling California.

[San Francisco Chronicle.]

At a recent meeting of the State Board of Trade, William H. Mills spoke at considerable length on the necessity of finding some means of peopling Sacramento Valley. He said that the tide of immigration was rolling steadily into Oregon and Washington, and advocated some new means of advertising the resources of the State.

At the same meeting it was stated that in one case distribution of Los Angeles pamphlets had been stopped at the instance of the Southern Pacific people, because the pamphlets contained an inserted leaf advertising the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railroad.

Does not this incident contain a very plain and forcible answer to Mr. Mills's implied query as to the causes of the decreased immigration to California? The Southern Pacific Company has assumed to control not only the passenger carriage, but the advertising of California, and will not permit intending settlers to learn that there is any way of getting to California except by those Siamese twins, the Southern Pacific and the Central Pacific. Oregon, on the contrary, is approachable by a number of railroads, and it is safe to say that while each road gets all the business it can for itself, it does not conceal or attempt to conceal the existence of other railroads.

If, as is asserted, "California on Wheels" has proved a poor advertisement, the cause of the failure may be found in the policy of the Southern Pacific Company, which has tried to convert it into an advertisement of the railroad and of railroad lands. If that corporation could but see one inch beyond its nose it would know that the peopling of California is of infinitely more value to it than selling its own lands or diverting passenger traffic from another road. It seems impossible for it to outgrow its penny-wise and pound-foolish policy, or to perceive that its future prosperity must depend on the future of the State. It will take a competing road to teach the Southern Pacific Company wisdom, and the lesson when it comes will be a sharp and forcible one.

Yes.

[Kansas City Star.]

Sitting Bull is now enriching the soil of Dakota. It is not to be questioned that for fertilizing purposes the old rascal is accomplishing the one good deed for which he was intended.

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ATTEMPTED BRIBERY.

A CASE THAT SHOULD BE SIFTED TO THE BOTTOM.

A Serious Charge Against Employes of the Daily Press—Names of the Guilty Parties Should Be Given.

The Herald of yesterday morning printed a sensational article to the effect that two reporters of that paper had been approached during the trial of "a recent sensational suit for damages" by a well-known detective and offered money to color their reports in the interest of the defendant. This statement of itself would have been all right but the article closed with this paragraph:

"The attorneys for the plaintiff claim to have ample evidence showing that some reporters were venal enough to be tempted, but it is to be hoped that this is a mistake."

The facts of the matter are that the "sensational suit" referred to is assumed to be the case of Jessie W. Marshall, who a few days ago was given a verdict against Jacob S. Taylor for $25,000 for seduction. Upon the same day that one of the representatives of the Herald "was approached," and as he claims, offered coin to color his reports of the case, a reporter of THE TIMES was also seen by a private detective. After being introduced the reporter was informed that Mr. Taylor desired to have the testimony in his case honestly and fairly presented to the public in detail, and for this he was willing to pay the reporter a consideration.

The reporter informed the detective that he was paid by the Times-Mirror Company to make fair reports of all trials or suits that came up in any court; that Mr. Taylor could be assured of the fact that the evidence brought out in the suit against him would be printed in full, as far as the news features of the case warranted so doing, without bias or prejudice and without cost to him.

Nothing more was said about the matter to THE TIMES reporter. No endeavor was made to bribe the reporter to do anything wrong. All the detective asked was that the reporter give Mr. Taylor what he was pleased to term a "fair shake," and for this he stated Mr. Taylor was willing to pay. When he was told that it would not be necessary for the defendant to pay anything for this, so for as THE TIMES was concerned, he departed and said nothing more about the matter.

The alleged attempted bribery was reported at the THE TIMES office the evening of the day it was said to have occurred, some two or three weeks ago, and was investigated, as any other report of the kind would be. It was ascertained that the reporter who had been approached, who, it was said, was a Herald man, had refused the tender of coin, and as there was not sufficient grounds on which to make a charge, the matter was dropped, and nothing more was thought of it. The article, as published in the Herald, casts a reflection on every reporter in the city, and the "attorneys for the plaintiff," if they really have any evidence, as they claim, should, in the interest of justice, make it public, and give the names of the guilty parties. Not only this, but the court in which the case was tried, should investigate the matter, if such a thing is possible, to the end that all of the inside facts should come out. If there has been any attempt at bribery by any person or persons, in any manner, it should be made known.

All Scale Must Perish.

[H. K. Snow, Tustin, Orange County.]

Fumigation by hydrocyanic gas treatment is the greatest boon ever discovered for the orange-grower. It kills the black and brown scale as well as the red scale, and I have no doubt in my mind but what it will kill the white, cottony cushion and San José scale also.

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San Diego Guavas.

[San Diegan.]

The High brothers have in their orchard in Chollas valley what are probably the oldest guava trees in this section of country. They have been growing where they stand for seventeen years, and were four or five years old when planted there.

The trees are a revelation to the average visitor. One has grown to a height of fully twenty-five feet, and a dozen or more are twenty feet high. The owner says the tallest tree does not bear so well as some of the smaller ones, its effort apparently being to make wood instead of fruit. The others, however, bear enormously, and Mr. High considers them more valuable than oranges.

Beside the strawberry guava, Mr. High has two varieties of yellow guavas. One is called a lemon guava and the other a strawberry guava. The latter is as large as the average egg, and the flesh is cinnamon tinted and banana flavored. The strawberry guavas are the heaviest bearers.

Hear! Hear!

[Kansas City Star.]

In the discussion of obscene lithographs there is one theatrical opinion which ought to be embalmed, "Stop it? You might as well try to stop the mighty avalanche of the advancement of Christianity and science combined as to attempt to hide from view the beautiful outlines of the human form in stage performances." This is very pretty, and what Lotta calls "a-fecting," but the facts in the case are that "the attempts to hid from view the outlines of the human form," is one of the most successful tricks of stage art. The chances are that if the ballet girls adhered to their original "beautiful out lines," the services of the clergy would be required to stem and not to start a riot.

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For further information apply to THE BOARD OF TRADE, Fallbrook; D. E. LACEY De Luz; W. I. GOULD, Rainbow; all in San Diego, Co., Cal.

COUNTRY ROADS IN THE SOUTH.

They Are Worse Than Vile, and Check the Progress of the People.

In Mississippi and Louisiana we have no roads, with the exception of a few built by the United States government as fitting approaches to the national cemeteries where lie the bodies of thousands of soldiers who died during the late war. These roads together are not more than twenty-five or thirty miles in length. There are hundreds of miles of pathways about fifteen or twenty feet wide called roads, but it is a misnomer. These pathways are used as a mode of travel by vehicles and foot travelers, and are made as substitutes for roads. They are very poor substitutes.

The mode of building these so called thoroughfares is merely to cut down the trees and bushes so that it is possible for vehicles to pass. They are monuments of ignorance, waste and idleness. They designate a low type of civilization, and are a hindrance to education and emigration.

In wet weather they are impassable, and in dry weather are little better.

There are no localities in either state where any attempt has been made to better the present condition, and we continue in the mud without any apparent hope for the future.

The fact remains that we have no roads, and the thoroughfares we have are a disgrace to our nation; nothing is being done, and we have nothing to look forward to.

An effort must be made to change this condition of affairs, and I know of no better plan than that suggested a few years since by one of the brightest minds in this section. Let the governor of each state appoint three prominent citizens in each county, without pay, who shall be known as the road commissioners, to serve for four years. He shall also appoint, by authority of the legislature, a civil engineer conversant with road building, to be known as the state road engineer, at a salary of, say, $3,000 per annum, and $2,000 extra for traveling expenses.

The duty of the road engineer for the first two years will be to travel over every county in the state, taking a careful note of the condition of the roads and the best material available for their construction and maintenance, the three road commissioners from each county rendering him such assistance as is within their power.

After a complete and correct examination the engineer can report at length to the legislature, making suggestions as to the best methods and means to be used by each county. With a proper basis thus established correct and scientific methods can be used and work commenced on an intelligent plan.

Such an exhaustive and correct report is necessary before an intelligent beginning can be made. Without it we have nothing as a guide; with it we would know what to do.

We are all at sea in our present ignorance. Material which can be used in one locality will not do in another, and a thousand other like complications are constantly arising. With an expert report of the material available and the proper guidance we would be able to work with improved methods and for the good of future generations. Let the future governors be known as the "road governors," as those who served in 1861-65 were known as "war governors."

There is crying necessity for the improvement of our roads, and now is the time to begin the movement, which will in time benefit every citizen.

HARRY H. HODGSON.

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FORTY degrees below zero in Vermont. That is genuine Eastern Christmas weather.

PUGET SOUND has been visited by a very heavy gale. This is about as near as Old Boreas ever gets to Southern California.

ONTARIO has shipped, during the season just past, 466,300 pounds of raisins. This is a brave showing for so young a settlement.

THE latest innovation in railroading is the establishment of a train exclusively for mail and express matter, to run between Boston and New York.

ABLE correspondents who indulge in extensive adjectives should avoid such mistakes as "spirituous" for *spirituelle*, and "impassioned" for dispassionate.

"A MEMBER of the High School" is reminded that his communication must be accompanied by his name before it can see the light of print in these columns.

THE Municipal Council of Caracas, Venezuela, have decreed a tax upon bachelors. Every unmarried man over 35 is required to pay an income tax of 1 per cent. on an income of not more than $5000, or 2 per cent. if his income exceeds that amount.

As a set-off to the stories of big yields from orchards in Los Angeles county this year comes the account of a New Jersey peach-grower, who rented his orchard of 10,000 trees on shares. He received just five peaches as his share of the crop.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

One of the most striking features of the times is the band of soul-savers which parades the streets of nearly every town of any size in every Christian land, as a detachment of that great religious-military force known as the Salvation Army.

It is only a short time since the first little party made its advent on the streets of this city with tambourines and a noisy cornet, but it is astonishing to note that in the face of jeers and prosecution it has grown to be an organization of consequence. It now turns out with a quite creditable brass band and goes through the streets at times with as much eclat as a political parade. Some times the air that the band plays assumes the familiar strains of "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp the Boys are Marching," but in the rests which ensue with the horns and drums, the singers carol forth words fitting to the cause they are engaged in, and not the old war-time stanzas. The tunes are mostly, however, the Army's original compositions, and the singers always alternate with the band in voicing them to the curb-gazers who line the streets.

With all its incongruities and peculiarities, there is no question but that the Salvation Army is doing good. It is dragging the sot from the gutter and putting heart in the poor soul who has "lost his grip"—it is turning into its ranks and "barracks" a class of young men who might, and likely would, be going to the bad in saloons and dives—it is saving many young girls, we do not doubt, from even worse fates; and while its methods may grate upon the tender sensibilities of the esthete, and while the crowds upon the sidewalks may scoff as the rapidly-swelling ranks go by, we can but admire the bravery that sends these zealots on their mission into the highways and byways, where the theme of Christianity and the word of God would never otherwise penetrate, and where the name of the deity would never be heard except in the form of blasphemy. As an auxilliary in the great and blessed work of trying—mind you if only *trying*—to make the world better, we should welcome this little army of men and women and bid it God-speed, even if we cannot see into or approve its methods.

In all the schemes of life, political, moral or religious, no set plan can be adopted for reaching and winning men—one must be coerced, and another convinced by argument—one must be approached with the ungloved hand and another by the hand of mail—one touched by a story of war and another by a story of peace. We are "many men of many minds," and that there is one class of minds that can be reached by the methods of the Salvation Army we see every day. Therefore the genuine Christian or moralist will not look with disdain upon even the zealous people of that Army which marches its battalions into the marshes of our social land and which seeks, not to save the ones of fine raiment and education, but the tattered denizens of the slums who are the poorest of God's creatures.

GETTING OUR NAME UP.

Southern California is again beginning to receive as much advertising in the eastern papers as it did during the days of the boom. This time it is not our real estate, but the products of our soil which are exciting attention. The New York Tribune publishes a correspondence from this place, of which the following is an extract:

The "tenderfoot" was afflicted with a mania to own a vineyard or an orange grove; other things could be raised anywhere. "Back East" they could grow potatoes and onions and cabbages. But it takes considerable money to start a vineyard or an orange grove, and when the period of hard times came, beginning about the spring of 1888, many people found themselves owners of more or less land. Those who had money set out their orchards and vineyards, but many others could only follow the Chinaman's example and raise vegetables. Well, the results would make a Kansas or an Illinois farmer envious, and drive a New England farmer crazy. Potatoes have yielded from $500 to $1500 an acre, and so on with nearly all vegetables. Ranchers who last winter shipped peas and lettuce and string beans and such things East received such large prices that it would be useless to write the figures down; they would only be smiled at as details of a characteristic California story. But these things are written about and talked of, and the consequence is that everything indicates an unparalleled amount of immigration this winter. When John writes back to his old folks that his last strawberry or green pea crop returned him $2000, lots of trunks will be packed at once to make the journey to the Sunset Land. For a year the farmers of Southern California have enjoyed wonderful prosperity, and the result is that Los Angeles is today the busiest city of its size in the country.

THE clergy of the coast appear to be dropping into sensationalism of late. On Sunday last a Sacramento pastor discoursed on "The Patrons of Harlots, as revealed by a midnight tour among the Magdalens." He was unable to avoid sectarianism in his discourse, claiming that Roman Catholic prostitutes were found to be utterly shameless, while those of Protestant proclivities recognize their position and sought relief. It is doubtful whether such sensational discourses accomplish anything beyond exciting morbid curiosity.

DURING the past week the merchants of Los Angeles have taken in over their counters thousands of good, hard dollars, honestly earned in that most desirable of all pursuits, the cultivation of the soil. The fruit-growers are to Los Angeles in 1890 what the miners were to San Francisco in 1850, and to Virginia City in 1870.

INSTANCES of Chinese shrewdness are constantly coming to light. It transpires that the Chinese have found a way to make the Exclusion Act redound to their profit instead of loss. According to J. F. Tucker, a well-known gentleman of San Diego, who has his information from a couple of Mongolians with whom he has had business relations, Chinese who have made a few thousand dollars in the United States, and who desire to return to the Flowery Kingdom, merely go down to the Mexican line, and in crossing back take pains to allow themselves to be captured by officers on the watch for contrabands. After their arrest and trial they are transported to China at the expense of the United States Treasury.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Sacramento published by THE TIMES a day or two since, made complimentary mention of Mr. A. J. Johnston who, as was anticipated, has been selected by Gov.-elect Markham, to fill the office of State Printer. Following is the letter which Col. Markham wrote to Mr. Johnston on the subject:

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20, 1890.

A. J. Johnston, Sacramento, Cal.—DEAR SIR: After careful examination and consideration of the claims of the various candidates for Superintendent of State Printing, I have concluded to tender the same to you. I do this, not only on account of your personal fitness for the place and the urgent request of your friends, but also in recognition of the claims of the Republicans of Sacramento.

Very truly yours, H. H. MARKHAM.

The Next Adjutant-General.

Gov.-elect Markham, on the 24th inst., notified Col. C. C. Allen of this city of his selection for appointment to the office of Adjutant-General of California. The formal appointment will follow at the proper time. Col. Allen is a veteran of the late war, having served as a captian and assistant provost-marshal-general in St. Louis, and in other capacities in the Union army. He was subsequently United States Marshal for Missouri, a member of the State Senate, and the Republican candidate for Lieutenant-Governor. He came to California some years ago. He has seen much service in the National Guard, having at one time commanded a regiment in Missouri, and is now colonel of the Seventh Infantry, N. G. C. His business career in Los Angeles is well known to readers of THE TIMES, and his fitness for the efficient discharge of the duties of the important office for which he has been selected is fully acknowledged. He is devoted to the State military service, and in his new position will be able to render important aid to the National Guard. He will remove to Sacramento to live during his term of office.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE.—The second performance given by the Emma Juch English Grand Opera Company took place last night. Gounod's famous opera, *Faust*, furnished the attraction, and the cast was as follows:

Faust	Payne Clarke
Valentine	Otto Ratnjens
Mephistopheles	Franz Vetta
Brander	S. H Dudley
Siebel	Louise Meisinger
Martha	Marie Frebert
Marguerite	Georgine von Januschowsky

The work is correctly styled in the bills "a lyric drama," the success of its representation depending not alone upon the singing, as is the case in many grand operas, but also upon the intelligent interpretation of the various characters in the well-known story. The openings for good dramatic work in this composition are not often equaled and certainly not excelled in any opera that holds the boards today.

The performance last night was one that will leave a lasting impression with all who were fortunate enough to be present to listen to it. *Faust* has been given here a great many times, but it is safe to say never with so much genuine satisfaction to an audience as was experienced with this rendition. The first two acts were excellently rendered, but did not excite any particular demonstration of satisfaction, even the lovely chorus, "Light as Air at Early Morning," obtaining but a mild recognition. Siebel's flower song in the third act, sung with the expression and power [illegible] acteristic of Louise Meisinger, evoked some enthusiasm, and "Faust's" "Salve Dimora," which was excellently rendered, increased the warmth of recognition, but it was not until "Marguerite" had sung her spinning song that it seemed to be accepted that the company contained more than one soprano of the first rank. Georgine von Januschowsky is no stranger to these boards, having sung here several times before. Her performance last night was a delightful revelation of her increasing powers as a lyric artist. The delicacy of her interpretation, and the amount of reserved strength she exhibited in passages requiring the display of passion were remarkable. The abandon shown in the duet with "Faust" toward the close of the garden scene was a little unusual, but very effective, and in many ways the fair artiste showed her originality and power.

Of Mr. Vetta's "Mephistopheles" it is impossible to say anything but in terms of praise. He has improved a good deal in the details of his conception of the character since he last gave it here, and shows us a devil who is not a buffoon, as some actors make him. Mr. Vetta is very much in earnest, and with his fine make-up and command of gesture and facial expression, makes the strongest feature of the opera. Needless to say that his singing is excellent. The audience tried to get a repetition of the diabolical serenade he renders in the fourth act, but it was not allowed.

The "Valentine" was a little tame in the earlier scenes, but in the duel and death scene he brought down the house with the fire and energy of his singing and acting. He has a fine baritone voice of great sweetness and made a manly representative of the character.

The "Faust" of Payne Clarke was fairly satisfactory. He is not physically well suited to the part, and insisted on wearing a long cloak that did not improve his appearance. He has a good voice of sweet quality, but not capable of sustained effort, and he lacks the power to thrill the listener. In acting he has much to learn.

The soldiers' chorus was repeated at the urgent demand of the audience. The setting and costuming of the piece were both elegant and correct. The house was crowded.

At the matinée today the bill has been changed, and *Carmen* substituted at the request of a large number of patrons. This opera will give Carlotta Maconda a fine chance in the part of "Michaela," and satisfy the general demand for another opportunity to hear this charming little singer once more in the present week.

Encouraged by the success of the engagement the management has arranged after the performance of *Lohengrin* tonight, to give three further nights of grand opera next week, beginning on Monday, presenting to the public of Los Angeles. *The Flying Dutchman*, *William Tell* and *L'Africaine* in succession and *Rigoletto* at the Wednesday matinée. It will probably be a long time before we shall be visited by an organization so complete a scale as the present and so competent to the production of the masterpieces above named. It will, therefore, be a matter of duty as well as pleasure for music-lovers to take advantage of the opportunity now offered.

LOS ANGELES THEATER.—Miss Adelaide Moore makes her first appearance here on Monday evening for a short engagement, opening in *Romeo and Juliet* and supported by Joseph Wheelock as "Mercutio."

FROM THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Christmas Entertainment—The Veterans Happy—Amusements.

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 26.—[Correspondent of THE TIMES.] Col. Smedberg, Col. Parnell and Chief Engineer Moore, U. S. N., were recent visitors at the Home. Col. Parnell was warmly welcomed by our Yountville comrades, of which Home he was formerly Governor. Gen. McCook and family have also been visitors and guests of Gov. Treichel.

On Christmas Commander Buckles and staff, G. A. R., inspected John A. Martin Post, which they found in a prosperous condition. They seemed highly pleased with their reception by the officers of the Home and their comrades of the G. A. R.

The sites for the new buildings are staked out, several teams are hauling brick, and the masons will s on commence work on the foundations. Teams are busy ploughing, and other teams hauling trees and shrubs, which will be planted as soon as possible, so that a few weeks will add many acres to the area devoted to plants and flowers. A sheet-iron tank, capacity 10,000 gallons, has been constructed near the boiler-house, the intent being to use oil for fuel in place of coal.

Street-lamps along the boulevard and in front of the barracks, give the Home grounds in the evening a city appearance.

On Christmas a bountiful supply of turkey, etc., put the vets in the best of humor. In the evening the library was crowded to witness the performance of Bayly's popular comedy, *Perfection, or The Cork Leg*. Miss Eva Hodge of Santa Monica, as charming "Kate O'Brien," and Miss Hilda Hasse as "Susan," a pretty, piquante soubrette, sustained their parts admirably. Sergt. Owen as "Sir Laurence Paragon," a testy gentleman of the old school, looked, dressed and acted the part to life. Miller, as "Charles Paragon," and Milleman as "Sam," the gentleman's gentleman, did nobly. The entertainment concluded with a very fine tableau, and was the most ambitious as well as the most successful performance we have had.

To the ladies of the Home and the old soldiers who have borne the burthen of these entertainments all praise is due. Their only recompense is the pleasure of contributing to the general happiness.

That we are both grateful and appreciative, the crowded hall and hearty applause bore ample evidence. REARDON.

EMMA —— ?

She has come with a splendid chorus
And an orchestra that's fine—
She has come to pack the Operahouse,
And its manager's pockets line
With the great big "faller" twenties;
But it worries me very much
Just how to pronounce the star's odd name—
Is it really Emma Juch?

She sings like a nightingale, she does,
And acts in a winning way,
And the whole troupe, too, are winners
In seductive operay;
But my rest would be much better
If my intellect hadn't to "scrooch"
To get her name said proper—
I wonder if it's Emma Juch?

The same fair singer's been here before,
And it worried me awful then
To know just what to call her
(Except, of course, with a pen;)
But a kind of word-sharp I just met,
He says—"It rhymes with Luke."
So if he isn't "another," why,
Her name is—Emma Juch!

HANK WAGONER.

AN OFFER FOR ALASKA.

Its Solid Citizens Will Give Fourteen Millions for the Territory.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] Capt. James Carroll of Sitka, who was chosen by the Alaska Convention to be Territorial Delegate, if Congress should give Alaska representation, is in the city. Talking to a reporter for the Post, he said that if representation was denied, Congress should at least grant the other reasonable requests of the people of Alaska. He also spoke of a proposition he was willing to make on the part of the solid citizens of the country. If Congress did not think Alaska of enough importance to give it a system of jurisprudence and all the facilities and rights it has granted every other outlying settlement of the Government, he was empowered to offer the sum of $14,000,000 for the territory, and would pay it over in $20 gold pieces on the shortest sort of notice.

This was $7,500,000 more than it cost, not to speak of the yearly profits the Government had taken for sealing privileges. The offer, he said, was bona fide, and he was sure that if those making the offer had complete ownership, whatever flag was raised, they could secure the blessing of a popular government, unhampered by the annoying defects of the present system, which worked useless hardships and clogged development.

BORROWED HALF A MILLION.

George Westinghouse Compelled to Seek Financial Assistance.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] A meeting of bankers and business men in this city who who have loaned George Westinghouse $500,000 lately was held today. An advisory board of five was elected to act with Westinghouse in placing the half million and managing the affairs of the company requiring the loan. In an interview, one of the subscribers to the fund stated that Westinghouse was negotiating a half million loan in the East when his competitors in business prevented it. The loan was merely being made to tide over the present stringency.

ON TO THE PACIFIC.

The Great Northern Will Push Its Line to the Coast.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The current number of the Northwestern Railroader says: "That it is the intention of the Great Northern to push its line through to the Pacific Coast there can be no doubt. A contract for building an extension from the summit of the Rockies to a point beyond the Kootenai River has been let to Shephard, Zims & Co. of St. Paul. This makes an extension from the main line at Havre, Mont., of about five hundred miles, the first 125 miles of which are completed and turned over to the operating department.

They Worked in Collusion.

ALBANY (N. Y.,) Dec. 26.—Daniel W. Talcott, head book-keeper of H. W. Sage & Co., lumber dealers, was arrested this evening on a charge of embezzlement. The amount of his thefts is not yet known, but is believed to run high up in the thousands. Sage & Co.'s confidential clerk, Joseph B. Abbott, who killed himself December 3, was a so an embezzler, and Talcott is believed to have been working in collusion with him.

Suing for Millions.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—It is announced here that the Adams Electric Company of St. Louis will soon enter a suit against the Thompson-Houston, the Sprague, the Short, and other electric railway companies for infringement on its patents. The suits will involve claims against the various companies aggregating millions of dollars, and should the cases be decided in Adams Company's favor, will make that corporation the greatest electric monopoly in the world.

Blew Up the Hotel.

WASHINGTON (Ind.,) Dec. 26.—James McBride, a tough character of Plainville, O., who has been away for some time, returned to town last night and called at the Jenkins Hotel to see his wife, who was working there. He was refused admittance and at an early hour this morning the hotel was partially wrecked by an explosion of dynamite. The guests fortunately escaped with slight injuries. McBride was arrested.

His Arrest Not Warranted.

LEAVENWORTH (Kan.,) Dec. 26.—D. R. Anthony, who was arrested the other day upon the affidavit of Postmaster Ritchey for publishing and depositing in the mail papers with lottery advertisements, had a hearing today before the United States Commissioner. The testimony did not warrant the arrest.

Stole From His Employers.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Ballard, a young clerk for Giles Brothers, jewelers, was arrested tonight, and has confessed thefts amounting to $5000.

AT WASHINGTON.

The Sequoia Groves in Danger of Destruction.

A Party of Bellamyites Preparing to Invade the Reserve.

Treasurer Huston Decides to Withdraw His Resignation.

He Will Remain in Office During President Harrison's Term—Statistics of the Country's Hebrew Population.

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] Andrew Caldwell, special agent of the General Land Office appointed to make an investigation as to the giant trees (*sequoia gigantea*) in the Stockton and Visalia land districts in California, reports that in the Visalia district there is one small and one large grove of giant trees. The latter is a virgin forest and contains over twelve hundred sequoias and many more small trees. Some five years ago a coöperative colony located about forty entries in the neighborhood, and are constructing a road to this timber belt. The colony, it is asserted, numbers about six hundred members, and has recently ingrafted the Bellamy ideas as its leading attraction.

There is dangers, the agent believes, that these people, if unmolested, will soon destroy this most wonderful and perfect body of gigantic trees in the world. In a table giving the number and size of the trees in the groves visited, only those forty-five feet in circumference and more, measuring three feet from the ground, are classed as giants. Of these 2675 were found. Forty-four are over eighty feet in circumference and several are more than one hundred. One is 106 feet in circumference, or more than thirty-five in diameter.

Secretary Noblo has requested the Secretary of War to station a company of cavalry in the Sequoia National Park and another in the Yosemite Park to prevent depredations on the mammoth tree groves. It is stated that the so-called Bellamy colonists, who have in part perfected their title to the lands on which these trees stand, have expressed the purpose to hold their claims in spite of all opposition.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] *House*—About fifty members were present when the House was called to order this morning. It was agreed that when the House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday, next. An adjournment was then taken.

QUESTIONS OF AUTHORITY.

World's Fair Managers Ask an Interpretation of the Law.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The Secretary of the Treasury wrote to the Attorney-General a few days ago that the Board of Managers of the World's Columbian Exposition is seriously embarrassed by the construction that has been placed on certain provisions of the World's Fair Act; that it is desirable, if possible, to overcome the difficulty by executive action under the present law rather than encounter probable delay should an application be made for a Congressional interpretation.

Section 16 provides, among other things, that "the President may also designate additional articles for exhibition." The opinion of the Attorney-General was requested as to whether the President is authorized to designate additional articles not already in the executive department, and a force to prepare and take proper care of such articles as he may designate, and to perform other necessary duties.

There is also a difference of opinion as to the disposition of the fund of $1 500,000 provided for the Government exhibit, etc. Two wholly independent bodies are now dispensing from this common fund, and the Board of Management is unable to even estimate what part aside from the $400,000 set apart for a Government building, will finally be at its disposal. The interpretation of this question was also asked. The secretary wished to know whether or not the President has power with or without the consent of the National Commission and Board of Management to divide or apportion the said sum between them.

The Attorney-General replied today, in substance, that as to the first question, he is of the opinion that the power vested in the President includes that asked for by the secretary. In regard to the apportionment of the moneys, he does not deem it advisable at this time to determine what rights the President may possess in virtue of his general executive authority, and says that it is probable that the attention of Congress should be called to the question.

SOUTH AMERICAN COMMERCE.

Westerners Pressing the Steamship Subsidy Proposition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The Senate Committee on Commerce today gave a hearing to F. L. Dana of Denver, Howell Jones of Topeka, J. B. Clarke of Chicago and A. P. Chamberlain of Des Moines upon the bill introduced by Mr. Cullom to incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company. These gentlemen appeared as a subcommittee appointed by the Interstate Deep Harbor Commission. They said the committee is backed by $15,000,000, and was created to look after the welfare of the West before Congress, but especially to secure an adequate appropriation from Congress to build a deep-water harbor on the Texas coast.

The sub-committee was appointed with the special object of establishing a line of steamers between the various ports on the Gulf of Mexico and the ports of Central and South America. It was determined to apply to Congress for a charter. The incorporators, they said, were men of wealth, with a capital exceeding $15,000,000. The Committee on Commerce has not yet taken action on the bill.

OUR HEBREW CITIZENS.

Some Interesting Facts Brought Out By the Recent Census.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The Division of Vital Statistics of the Census Office has prepared a bulletin containing a summary of the results of the special inquiry concerning the Jews of this country. The inquiry resulted in the return of 10,618 completed family schedules, embracing 60,630 living persons on the 31st day of December, 1889, and in these families there have been 2148 marriages, 6038 births, and 2062 deaths during the five years ending on that date. The social condition of the families is indicated to some extent by the number of servants kept by them, and as about two-thirds are reported as keeping one or more servants, the families reported may be said to be in easy circumstances.

The average number of persons to each family on December 31 was 5.71, and the average annual number for the five years covered by the statistics was 5.45. The average annual number of marriages per 1000 of the total population was much lower than the general rate, being but 7.4, and the average age at marriage greater than among the general population. The low marriage rate and increased average age at marriage are the principal reasons for the low birth rate. The deaths reported for the five years give the average annual death rate at 7.11 per 1000 population, being about half of the average rate for the general population.

A comparison of the birth and death rates with those of native-born parents indicate that the birth rate is decreasing and the death rate increasing with prolonged residence in this country, but the general results indicate that the Jews here retain many of the peculiarities which have been noted among them in Europe.

CAPITAL NOTES.

United States Treasurer Huston Reconsiders His Resignation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The Star says that United States Treasurer Huston has reconsidered his resignation and agreed to remain in his present position until the end of President Harrison's term.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.

The President today appointed E. Darwin James of New York and Philipe C. Garrett of Pennsylvania members of the Board of Indian Commissioners, vice W. H. Morgan, resigned, and Clinton B. Fisk, deceased. He also appointed Joseph W. Paddock of Nebraska, Government director of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, vice James W. Savage, deceased.

FORMALLY PRESENTED.

Benjamin Molina, newly-appointed Minister from Salvador, was formally presented to the President today by the Secretary of State. The usual formalities were observed.

THE NEW PENSION DIVISION.

Representative Cutcheon from the Committee on Military Affairs, today reported favorably to the House the bill that passed the Senate some days ago to establish a record and pension office in the War Department and appoint the officer now in charge of that work a colonel in the army. In the report the committee states that the establishment of the office will greatly facilitate the work of the Pension Bureau and of all branches connected with or depending upon the examination of the records of the volunteer army.

BELOW THE ISTHMUS.

THE COMMERCE OF ARGENTINE RAPIDLY INCREASING.

An American Obtains a Valuable Franchise from Colombia—The Panama Canal Extension.

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The Bureau of American Republics has received a dispatch from the Argentine Republic giving a brief summary of the commerce of that country for the year ending June 30 last. It appears, notwithstanding the revolution, that the imports for the year amounted to $175,955,000 and the exports to $159,627,000. The wheat crop for the year has been enormous and will probably be the largest ever grown in the country. During the year 289,000 immigrants landed at Beunos Ayres, of which number 109,000 had their passage paid by the government.

Information was also received by the bureau that the government of Colombia has signed a contract with J. L. Cherry of Milwaukee for the completion of the Caucau Valley Railway from Buenaventura, the chief port of Colombia, to the cities of Calli and Mamzales, with the privilege of continuing the road to the Gulf of Darien on the north, the frontier of Ecuador, on the south and eastward to the navigable waters of the Amazon River.

This road, when completed, will give a portion of Colombia that is very rich, both in agricultural and mineral resources, access to tidewater.

The government guarantees interest of 5 per. cent in gold for eighteen years upon the expenditure of $38,000 in gold per mile, and gives the exclusive privilege for seventy years of operating railways within twenty-four miles on either side of the route surveyed and accepted, title to all gold and other mines that may be discovered within the twenty-four miles and freedom from all duties and taxes for ten years.

The bureau has information regarding the renewal of the Panama Canal concessions by the Colombian government. From this it appears that the company is allowed two years from the first of January to reorganize and resume operations; is required to pay for the lands on the isthmus which, under the original concession, were granted them without cost, also the expense of sustaining whatever military or police guard may be found necessary to protect the works and maintain peace along the line of the canal; is to pay the government of Colombi a bonus of $10,000,000, and give it first preferred stock in the company to the amount of $5,000,000.

The recommendations of the International American Conference for the establishment of an American monetary union and the issue of a common silver coin, have been adopted by all of the American Republics except Guatemala. Uruguay and Paraguay, which have not yet been heard from. The first meeting takes place at the Department of State Wednesday, January 17.

A Blinding Chinook.

PIERRE (S. D.,) Dec. 26.—Chinook winds from the west, carrying blinding clouds of dust, prevail here. It is reported here that a fire last night wiped out the town of Ree Heights, about fifty miles east of here on the Northwestern road. No particulars are obtainable.

Thrown From a Buggy.

WILLIMANTIC (Ct.,) Dec. 26.—George H. Green was killed, and his wife fatally injured, by being thrown out of a buggy.

NO REDS IN SIGHT.

Capt. Fountain Has No Need of Assistance.

He Was Surprised to Learn That He Was Surrounded.

Big Foot Said to Be Making for the Pine Ridge Agency.

It Is the Intention of Sitting Bull's Followers to Surrender—The Bad Lands Agree to Yield.

By Telegraph to The Times.

DICKINSON (N. D.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] A courier came in this evening from the relief force sent out to rescue Capt. Fountain's command, which was reported surrounded by 500 hostiles in the Cave Hills. Capt. Fountain was surprised when the relief party came up, as, although he had been industriously searching, he has been unable to find a single hostile since he went out. He sent word that the stories about murders of ranchmen, destruction of property and skirmishes with soldiers were without a particle of foundation. Nearly all of Sitting Bull's followers, he has learned, have made their way toward the Pine Ridge and Cherry Creek reservations, where they will surrender.

READY TO COME IN.

RAPID CITY Dec. 26.—Gen. Miles, who has been waiting several days to hear the result of the friendly mission of the Pine Ridge Indians to the hostile camp in the Bad Lands, today received word from Gen. Brooke that couriers in from his emissaries reported the hostiles ready and about to come in. Several small parties are already returning to the agency. The balky Indians are expected there within a day or two.

Word is also received here that Big Foot and his band, who have been missing since their escape from Col. Sumner, have been found on Porcupine Creek, moving toward Pine Ridge. No details are given, but Big Foot has certainly evaded for several days all forces in search of him.

THE BAD LANDS COUNCIL.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY Dec. 26.—Two battalions of the Seventh Cavalry, with two Hotchkiss guns and a pack train, have left for Wounded Knee, about thirty miles away. The Indian council in the Bad Lands has decided in favor of the hostiles returning to the agency. The authorities feel that the Indian war is practically over. There is still danger of trouble in case an attempt is made to disarm the hostiles. Unless this is done all of the Indians will be at the agency within a few days.

A FIGHT AT BATTLE CREEK.

CAMP NEAR BATTLE CREEK (S. D.,) Dec. 26.—The weather is cold and the rivers frozen solid. A company of Cheyenne scouts is encamped at the mouth of Battle Creek. A [illegible] have been made by the hostiles, number about eighty, to break their camp. The first attack was made by only a few of the Indians, who were quickly repulsed with a loss of two killed and several wounded, and it is thought one fatally hurt. The second attack was made after dark by the whole band, led by Kicking Bear. Volley after volley was fired on both sides, and a desultory fire was kept up for an hour or more. It is not known how many hostiles were killed, but judging from the reports of a scout, there must have been several killed. Troops were sent to the scene and report everything quiet and no hostiles in sight.

BIG FOOT'S TREACHERY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Gen. Schofield this morning received the following telegram from Gen. Miles, dated Rapid City, S. D., December 25: "Have not heard from Col. Carr for thirty-six hours. He started to intercept Big Foot. Should he succeed in returning him to the Cheyenne agency it will be favorable. Gen. Brooke reports a messenger from Little Wound, Big Road and Fast Thunder, leaders of the Indians who went to the Bad Lands, who says that about half the Indians there are coming in, and he thinks that the rest will follow should not this be interrupted by some unforeseen event."

Another dispatch from Gen. Miles says: Col. Sumner reported his company at Big Foot's camp on the Cheyenne River; that Big Foot assured him he would do all he said and bring all his people to Sumner's camp, but that the Indians deceived and eluded him, his command going south in light order.

GAVE UP THE DANCE.

GUTHRIE (Oklahoma,) Dec. 26.—W. P. Thompson, legal agent of the Iowas, returned today and reported the ghost dance abandoned on solicitation of To-Hee, the blind Cheyenne chief, and White Cloud. All of the Indians have returned peacefully to the reservations.

Killed by a Constable.

ELGIN (Kan.,) Dec. 26.—C. C. Jones, while resisting arrest, was shot and instantly killed by a constable.

☞ Auction, Live Stock — Saturday, December 27, corner Ninth and Main. Rhoades & Reed will sell 40 head fine Work Horses and Mares, well broke; also 38 head head fresh Milch Cows and Heifers, from the Rodeo de Los Aguas Rancho, which is now being subdivided into 10-acre tracts, and the stock must be closed. For particulars as to the rancho call at Hammel & Denker's office, No. 117 Requena st. Los Angeles.

☞ The Italy of America—Arrangements are fully completed now by which excursionists can go direct to the Hotel del Coronado on Saturday, leaving First-st. depot at 8.15 a m., returning at 4 p m the following Monday including two and a half days' board and room at the hotel all for $11.00.

☞ Auction, Furniture—Rhoades & Reed, at salesroom, corner Second and Broad way, tomorrow, 2 p. m., an elegant line of household and kitchen Furniture; several magnificent Bedroom Suits, in solid cherry, oak and walnut.

☞ Auction, Plows, Plows—Rhoades & Reed, 243 S. Main st., tomorrow, 10 a m., 50 one and two-horse Plows; also several good Work Horses, Cows, Wagons, Buggies, etc.

☞ Sugar Beet Factory to be Built at Once on the Chino Ranch.—Parties wishing to secure land for this year's planting should apply at once at 105 North Spring st., room 11 W. K. Gird, Sole Agent for Los Angeles.

☞ Great Registers. — The Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House has on hand a limited supply of the recently printed Great Registers of Los Angeles County. For sale at $2.50 per copy.

ON THE SLOPE.

The Countess Parisi is Still Among the Living,

But She May Yet Follow Her Josef to the Grave.

The Couple's Romantic History and Their Wealthy Connections.

King Kalakaua Starts Today for a Tour of Southern California—Contests Over the Recent State Election.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] Josef Parisi de Hochkoffler, whose death occurred at National City yesterday, was the oldest son of an Austrian banker who lives at Trieste. His wife who attempted suicide at the time of his death, is somewhat improved, but still very low and there is little hope of her recovery. She is an artist of considerable merit and a native of Germany. They were married in this country.

Count Parisi's father formerly occupied an exalted position in the Austrian empire, but was forced to retire on account of the burden of years. He still stands at the head of one of the foremost banking houses of Austria. This house has branches all over the continent and is so important that even postage stamps used in Austria are perforated with the word "Parisi." This was the count's real name, but to it he added of his own accord, the name Hochkoffler, the title of his stepmother.

Count Parisi was born in Trieste, Austria, and was the youngest of two brothers. From his early years he was of a wild disposition. He learned Russian, Bulgarian, Spanish, French, German, Italian and other languages, and entered the Austrian army as an officer, serving there for two years. His parents had no influence over him, and as his wild practices were in danger of disgracing them they fixed upon him a liberal allowance, and a little over five years ago he came to this country, to San Francisco, where his half-brother is now the Austrian Consul.

His step-brother sent him to San Diego, where he came shortly after a trip to New York, and for six months was manager of a wine-cellar on the corner of Fifth and F streets. He was married in Galveston, his wife being at one time teacher of art in the university at Galveston.

A cablegram has been received from the Count's father ordering the body embalmed and sent to Austria, and also, in case of the death of the Countess, to have her body shipped there also. In case she survives she is to be sent to her father-in-law, there to take her rank and station with her husband's people. Another telegram was received from New York from a large banking-house, calling for full particulars.

ABANDONED BY HER CREW.

The Vessel Wrecked Off Cape St. George Still Unidentified.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The identity of the abandoned vessel that was reported on Tuesday last as having been sighted on the 19th inst. off Cape St. George by Capt. Reed of the ship Ericsson, has not yet been determined. Capt. Reed, who is at Nanaimo, has telegraphed further particulars, stating that on Saturday, December 20, thirty-five miles west by south from Cape St. George (Empire City) he saw what appeared to be an abandoned lumber-laden vessel. No person could be seen on board, nor were any colors hoisted.

The mainmast was gone clear to the deck and the foretop gallant mast was carried away at the cap. The mizzen topmast was gone, and the only sail set was the lower topmast sail. The ship's head was north and a strong breeze from the south-southwest was driving her along at a good clip. The hull, bowsprit, jibboom and foremast were in good condition. In appearance she looked like the ship Dashing Wave, but her name could not be made out.

It was blowing too hard and the sea was running too high for Capt. Reed to board the floating wreck. He did not see any boats on the vessel, and he is inclined to the belief that the crew had abandoned her. The wrecked vessel was heading for shore when the Ericsson passed.

The ship Dashing Wave that Capt. Reed mentions arrived here on the 21st inst., and is now discharging at the Folsom-street wharf.

RACING AT MODESTO.

Second Day of the Stanislaus Stock-breeders' Meeting.

MODESTO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The second day's racing under the auspices of the Stanislaus Stock-breeders' Association took place this afternoon. A large attendance was present. The first race, three-eighths and repeat, was run by Minnie R., Strawbuck and Leida Ferguson. The last named won the first heat and Minnie R. the second and third heats in 0:37¼ and 0:37½, Ferguson second.

Second race, pacing, mile and repeat, between T. W. Carmichael's Prince, W. M. Houser's George N. and S. W. Coffee's Nettie: Won by George N in two straight heats. Time, 2:57.

Third race, quarter of a mile dash, for saddle horses: Won by Vaquero Bill. Time, 0:25. The four other horses were not in it.

The season will close tomorrow with a trotting race, mile and repeat, and a three-quarter dash.

AT CORONADO.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—At the Coronado Beach races today the first race, five-eighths of a mile, was won by Gambo in two straight heats. Time 1:01¼ and 1:02¼. The second race, mile and a quarter handicap, Naiche B. won, Nadeau second, Raindro third. Time 2:11¼. Third race, half-mile dash, Triumph won, Gambo second, Dorothy third. Time 0:49.

Burned to a Crisp.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 26.—On Christmas eve the little 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Baugh of Sansevain went out with his older brother, 7 years old, to burn some brush. In some way the younger brother's clothes caught fire, and he was burned to a crisp before the parents got to him.

The Gilroy Cannery Burned.

GILROY (Cal.,) Dec. 26.—The Gilroy cannery was totally destroyed by fire last night. The building and plant were started in 1888. The value of the buildings and machinery was $8000; insurance $3000. The fire is supposed to have been caused by tramps.

AN INTERESTING CONTEST.

The Merced High License Party Charges Wholesale Fraud.

MERCED (Cal.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] An organization known as the "High License party" commenced proceedings today to contest the recent election of all the county officers. The High License party nominated a full county ticket of Republicans and the Democrats a Fusion ticket. The average Fusion vote was about 1200 and the High License ticket polled about half that number. The complaint charges malconduct on the part of every judge, inspector and clerk in each of the twenty-two precincts. These officers were appointed by the Board of Supervisors, of whom the High License people had a majority, and the malconduct charged is that the straight Democratic and Republican tickets were counted where they should not have been, as the two central committees were guilty of fraud in printing tickets having upon their face nominees who were not Democrats and Republicans respectively.

A TECHNICAL OBJECTION.

The Stockton Contest Case Develops a Fine Point.

STOCKTON (Cal.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] In the contested election case for the office of County Treasurer, the result depends upon the ruling on thirty-two votes in which the erasures and substitutions were made by the use of analine or indelible pencils and a stencil plate and printing ink. Objections to counting the ballots is made by ex-Congressman Budd for the Democratic contestant Kerrick, because the law allows only the use of a lead pencil or common writing ink. With regard to indelible pencil marks he makes the point that the analine pencil makes a distinguishing mark in the color, and therefore the ballots must be rejected. The case has gone over for argument next week.

FAILURES OF A DAY.

A NUMBER OF ASSIGNMENTS CAUSED BY TIGHT MONEY.

The Collapse of Eiseman & Co. at Council Bluffs Causes Great Surprise—Several Banks Suspend.

By Telegraph to The Times.

COUNCIL BLUFFS (Ia.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] Simon Eiseman, of the firm of Henry Eiseman & Co., the dry goods merchants, who assigned yesterday, estimates the liabilities of the firm at $200,000; assets, $300,000. The failure was a great surprise, as the firm is the largest and oldest retail dry goods house in Iowa. In addition to their house here they operate branch houses in Omaha and in the Missouri Valley. These are included in the assignments, as also the entire real and personal property of the firm. The failure is attributed to the stringency of the money market and light trade.

CAUSED BY SLOW COLLECTIONS.

WOONSOCKET (S. D.,) Dec. 26.—The Sanborne County Bank, run by Leon L. Stevens, closed this morning. The County Treasurer had $8000 of the county's money in the bank, and a number of merchants were also caught. There was no run on the bank, and the reasons given for the suspension are poor business and slow collections. Stevens is City Treasurer and secretary of the Republican County Committee.

A TEXAS BANK SUSPENDS.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—A special to the Republic from San Antonio, Tex., says: The Maverick Bank of this city closed its doors this morning after a heavy run that lasted three weeks. Sam Maverick, sole owner of the bank, made an assignment of all his property, real and personal, to Reagan Houston. The liabilities, according to the schedule, amount to $844,164, and the assets footed up at $1,789,915.

MISCELLANEOUS FAILURES.

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—The stringent money market has caused the temporary embarrassment of E. W. Leech & Co., extensive lumber dealers. Their creditors do not fear for the approaching assignment, one stating that the firm's affairs are in excellent condition.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—William H. Sandifer, dealer in diamonds and fine jewelry, assigned today. His assets are $25,000 or $30,000; liabilities not at present known.

CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.,) Dec. 26.—The Hughes Lumber Company has assigned with liabilities of $176,000, and assets of $320,000. D. W. Hughes, president of the company, also made a personal assignment.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Roberts, Cushman & Co., dealers in hatters' materials, who assigned, filed schedules today stating that their liabilities are $456,000; nominal assets, $75,000, and actual assets $437,000.

SALT LAKE (Utah,) Dec. 26.—Kellner, merchant of this city, assigned today. Liabilities $48,000, assets about the same.

SEATTLE (Wash.,) Dec. 26.—Balke, Cole & Co., art dealers, assigned today for the benefit of their creditors. Liabilities, $7500; assets, $10,000. An attachment for $2400 precipitated the assignment.

TWO WILD ENGINES.

One Man Killed and One Fatally Injured in an Accident at Fresno.

FRESNO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] A collision occurred this evening three miles north of the city between through freight No. 21 and two wild engines which had escaped from the switch in the yard at the depot. Head Brakeman J. Lafferty was instantly killed. Engineer John Moore and Fireman Stanager jumped, but did not save themselves. Stanager was terribly crushed about the lower limbs, and cannot live. Moore reached the ground before the collision, but sustained a slight fracture of the hip, and probable internal injuries.

Charged With Criminal Assault.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—R. Amrine, 45 or 50 years of age, was arrested yesterday on a charge of criminal assault on a colored girl named Maud Hope, living with her mother at Alpine, this county.

Killed at a Dance.

IRONTON (O.,) Dec. 26.—At a dance at Center Furnace last night, in a fight over a woman, Ed Gallagher and John Oliver were killed and Henry Ingalls seriously wounded.

IN OTHER LANDS.

Gen. Booth's Scheme Declared to Be Utopian.

The "Times" Advises That No More Money Be Contributed.

Many of the Scotch Railroad Strikers Return to Work.

The National Indian Congress Begins Its Sessions at Calcutta—Developments in the Irish Struggle.

By Telegraph to The Times.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—[By Cable and Associated Press.]—The Times publishes a three-column article severely criticising Gen. Booth's scheme of social regeneration as set forth in his book "In Darkest England." The writer of the article says: "Gen. Booth cannot think that he is to be authorized to collect by force the moral lunatics—irredeemable slaves of vice, crime and drink. He cannot expect us to believe that he can compel to work men who admittedly will not work, or that any colony of such men, even under the stimulus of the lash, could be compelled to be self-supporting." The latter accuses Booth of childlike ignorance of farming and recklessness in entering into a contract for the purchase of land for his farm colony at £15 per acre.

An editorial states that the article is the first installment of a critical examination of the scheme by a well-qualified writer and says: "We do not affect to regard the scheme with anything but profound distrust. We urge the public not to conclude in a fit of hysterical emotion that Booth deserves to be intrusted with an immense sum of money, but to wait and hear everything that can be urged against the scheme."

IN BRITISH ASIA.

The National Indian Congress Begins Its Sessions.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 26.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The National Indian Congress opened in this city today. One thousand delegates are present and 5000 were in the audience. Among those who attend were Messrs. Schmann and Cain, members of the British House of Commons, several rajahs and Mohammedan nobles. Advocate Ghose, a leading attorney of the high court, in an address, described the congress as the inevitable outcome of the generous action of the British government.

Mr. Mehta, member of the Bombay Legislative Council, in his presidential address, made declarations as to the locality of the movement and its pacific aims. He said that the congress desired to assist the Government in the work of social reforms. Although the diverse nationalities of India were not ripe for representative institutions, yet the elective principle ought to be adopted in nominations to the Indian council, and he appealed to the Viceroy to watch the movement in a spirit of generous sympathy.

THE CASE OF PARNELL.

O'Brien Is Indignant at Statements Made By the "Times."

PARIS, Dec. 26.—William O'Brien, in an interview, described as an atrocious libel the statement of the London Times that while in America he contributed to the columns of Patrick Ford's newspaper, and that Patrick Ford, who, like his "old guests," Davitt and Healy, is greatly shocked at Parnell's moral obliquities, has just reaffirmed his faith in the Gospel of Dynamite. O'Brien asserts that he has telegraphed the Times for a retraction.

DUBLIN, Dec. 26.—Dr. O'Connell, Bishop of Rappoe, in a letter to the Irish Catholic, says that he regrets that the Irish people did not immediately place blame on Parnell for his offense against morality, instead of giving him a handle with which to ruin the party and country.

THE SCOTCH STRIKES.

Many of the Dissatisfied Workmen Return to Their Posts.

GLASGOW, Dec. 28.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The railroad strike continues to keep business at a standstill. The Caledonian Railway Company, which steadfastly refused to yield to the strikers, has practically won the struggle with its employés. The success of the other companies is thought to be doubtful.

ABERDEEN, Dec. 26.—The railroad men on a strike in this city and neighborhood have resumed work, the differences between themselves and employers having been settled.

SIXTY LIVES LOST.

The Steamship Shanghai Burns to the Water's Edge

LONDON, Dec. 26.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] According to advices received here, the steamship Shanghai recently burned at sea near Wu Hu, a treaty port of China about fifty miles above Nanking. The crew, about sixty natives, together with several European officers are supposed to have met their death either in the flames or subsequently by drowning.

Additional advices from China confirm the report and say that sixty lives were lost in the disaster.

Leprosy Patients Improving.

MADRID, Dec. 26.—Two persons suffering from leprosy, who were inoculated with the Koch lymph, are reported to be apparently improving since.

THE PACIFIC ISLES.

A New Steamship Line to Succeed the Oceanic.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The steamship Australia arrived today from Honolulu. On the 13th inst. the appointment was announced in Honolulu of Hon. Henry Carter, Minister to the United States, as delegate from Hawaii to the International Monetary Union to be held in Washington, D. C.

Hawaiian papers quote an announcement in the Sydney Herald to the effect that the Union Steamship Company's steamer Monowai, would leave Sydney December 24 for San Francisco to replace the vessels expected to be withdrawn at the termination of the Oceanic Steamship Company's contract for the mail service between the United States and Australia. The Union Steamship Company has another steamer, the Mararoo, which, together with the Monowai, would be well suited for the service. The Oceanic steamship Zealandia, which was to have left Sydney December 20, is stated to be the last vessel of that line to perform service between the two countries. She will touch only at Honolulu on the trip here.

Capt. Foss of the German man-of-war Speibor, last month unveiled a monument at Apia, Samoa, to the memory of the men lost on the German warships during the hurricane of March 16, 1889. Consul-General Steubel and the German residents of Samoa were present at the ceremonies.

A DISGRACEFUL SITUATION.

Union Pacific Laborers Unable to Get Their Pay.

PORTLAND (Or.,) Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] The condition of the affairs of the discharged laborers from the Union Pacific's Sound extension appears to grow more complicated each day. Just now there are, according to the police, nearly one thousand of these idle workmen in the city, and the number bids fair to be largely increased. Chief of Police Parrish stated this evening that he had been notified that 700 more discharged men were on their way to the city, and would arrive some time during the night. The men are all coming to Portland to get their money, but there is yet no money here in the hands of the contractors for them. Many of the workmen have a small amount of money, but some are entirely without funds. For two or three days past those who have applied to the police for shelter have been accommodated. Today about seventy-five men had another consultation with the chief of police, and matters were so arranged that tonight the entire body slept at the City Jail.

THE KING IS COMING.

Kalakaua Starts on a Tour of Southern California Today.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—[By the Associated Press.] King Kalakaua will leave here tomorrow afternoon for Southern California, to be gone ten days or two weeks, when he will return to San Francisco and take his departure for Honolulu. During his absence he will be accompanied by Col. McFarlane, Royal Chamberlain, Col. Baker, of his suite, Lieut. Blow, of the Charleston, and one or two others. A special car has been placed at the King's disposal by the railroad company. Among the places he will visit are Los Angeles, San Bernardino, San Diego and Santa Barbara.

Death's Shining Mark.

COLUMBIA (S. C.,) Dec. 26.—W. D. Simpson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, died at his home in this city this morning of heart disease.

KIRKWOOD (Ill.,) Dec. 26.—Dr. James Gilfillian, widely known as the "Indian doctor," died today.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The wife of Baron Haussman, well known as Prefect of the Seine under the late Emperor Napoleon, died today.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The death is announced of Mme. Rouher, widow of Eugene Rouher, friend, advisor and minister of Napoleon III.

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Heinrich Schliemann, the archeologist, is dead.

DIED

McCOLLOCH—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Hayes, on Quebec st., on Thursday evening, December 25, after a brief illness, Mrs. Mary F. McCulloch, aged 66 years. Funeral service private, to be held at the residence of Mrs. Hayes today at 2 p m.

VALENZELA—On December 26, Aurora, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Valenzela, aged 18 months. Funeral from 716 Helena ave., at 2 p. m. today. Friends invited to attend.

PROVOST—In this city, December 25, 1890, Francis Eugene Provest (Marquis de St. Cyr) a native of France, aged 85 years. Funeral from family residence, No 934 Bartlett st., this morning at 9 a. m. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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DOINGS OF WOMEN FOLK

Who Keep Busy in the Holiday Season.

YOUNG VANDERBILT'S RAGMAN

Grace Greenwood's Quiet Days—The Courtship of the Carnegies—Mrs. Goelet and a Newspaper Woman.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—[Special Correspondence.] It's odd how different ages of social history will jostle each other in an afternoon. The then is always left over to knock elbows with the now. Two years ago there came to New York a young Southern girl. She was clever with her pen, and earned $30 by newspaper writing the first seven days she was in the city. It came to her in six crisp fives, the most beautiful money she had ever seen. Since that time she has gained from $60 to $65 weekly and a lover in the bargain. Whenever she goes out with her sweetheart there happens a thing that is distinctly *fin de siecle*, some people would call it a prophesy of the twentieth century. Bubbling over with innocent pride in her own independence and purse-filling capacity, this large-eyed, sweet-faced Southern maid lays deep and dark schemes to be first to fill the extended palm of the horse-car conductor, first up the stairs of the elevated railroad, first at the bridge ticket-seller's window. When she has out-generaled the Man and paid the expenses of an expedition she beams.

Against this bit of today rubs up cosily a bit of yesterday. Three or four young New York women agreed this week to eat a dinner together, the better to discuss a plan. A request was sent to a quiet restaurant for a table for half-past six in the evening. There came in reply a letter: "We do not admit ladies unaccompanied by gentlemen after 5 o'clock in the afternoon." "But we will bring as our chaperon a lady who moves in fashionable society." "In that case, there may perhaps be little impropriety, but the reputation of this establishment must be maintained." Back and forth flew the billets. The young women were, with one exception, married, and without exception in receipt by their own exertions of good incomes. In the end they ate under chaperonage and a fire of eyes, settling, not without embarrassment, their business question. It's a strange world, my masters, in which women earn their own soups and entrees and roasts, but may not eat them without violent protest, unless the repast be sanctioned by the august presence of a Man.

HOW THEY SPENT CHRISTMAS.

There is a rosy young scion of the Vanderbilt stock who got huge enjoyment out of his Christmas toys. This lad—his name, I believe, is Georgie, but it's hard to keep track of children—is a Crawford, descended on the mother's side from the old commodore. Georgie earned $2 with great painstaking by going quietly up and down stairs. This money he wanted for his little charities; not content with it he earned other money by saving and selling bottles and rags and old papers and all the accumulations that go to junk dealers. Imagine a little Vanderbilt tugging his baskets of such hoards. But Georgie had set his heart on making a fine Christmas gift of shoes and stockings to barefooted newsboys. "If you give me the money," he said to the parental authorities, "it won't really be my present at all."

There was a little dog who ought to have enjoyed Christmas, for he had a most gorgeously decorated Christmas tree, all for his canine delectation. This dog's name is Chum and he chums with Bab, who hung on the green boughs all sorts of doggy delights, not forgetting a new whip and collar.

Jennie June's grown up children never get too much grown up to hang their stockings. The dignified Vida, who travels with Manager A. M. Palmer's companies, got hers stuffed with oranges, just as when she was a toddler.

Quite a good number of the saleswomen in one of the big city stores kept holiday with unusual cheerfulness, for they have discovered a new way of piecing out low wages. Every year the bazaars are piled higher with ribboned and "hand-painted" "novelties." This season a good share of those exhibited in one of the most important establishments were supplied experimentally by the deft fingers of the very girls who sold them. The woman to whom came the idea of this clever move, organized with the proprietor's consent three dozen others to work evenings under her direction as long ago as last spring. Nobody gets much for such work, however, except the few really capable women artists who paint souvenirs for Tiffany's and one or two of the publishers.

GRACE GREENWOOD'S QUIET DAYS.

Mrs. Lippincott, two volumes of whose stories for children were republished for the holidays, is doing just at present very little writing. She has had a long illness, and during the quiet days that follow convalescence busies herself with needle rather than with pen. Her children's stories have been, she thinks, the most popular of her books, and have gone through three or four editions in England, pirated for the most part, for the stealing of which the international copyright will now put a stop, was not all accomplished on this side of the water.

Grace Greenwood is one of the many little women who are expert dressmakers. Her mother, as long as she lived, could never be made to believe that anybody could fit her except her daughter. She enjoys thoroughly the restful slip of the needle through the long seam, so much so that she says she has "wasted" on it many hours that might have been more profitably employed. She is now a serene-faced woman with hair plentifully sprinkled with gray, combed smoothly down over her ears in old-fashioned bands. Her eyes and her smile are full of wise and shrewd good humor, and she is capable of saying more things in five minutes that are worth listening to than one in ten thousand younger woman. She never loses her faith in the world's progress and especially in the future that opens before women. She goes out comparatively little, almost never of an evening. When she was absent last Saturday night until 11, she found her whole household preparing to go in search of her.

WOMEN WHO ARE KNOWN.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie is recovering her health rapidly. Pretty stories that sound like fairy tales are told of the courtship of Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie. It seems that, though one would have thought him of an age and fortune to act for himself, Mr. Carnegie's old Scotch mother was strongly opposed to his making any marriage, and his meetings with the quiet girl who won his fancy were arranged at country houses and about as clandestinely as if the two had been sighing 17-year-olds. Up almost to the date of the wedding the secret was kept inviolate in a few faithful bosoms, and when finally it came to light it surprised the family circle with its halo of old-fashioned love and romanticism.

Mrs. McLaughlin, the wife of the Democratic boss in Brooklyn, has the credit of knowing, in a quiet way, almost as much about practical politics as any woman in the country. People who want her husband's favor seek hers in the beginning. Those whom she indorses sometimes receive one of her engraved cards with the corner torn off in conformity with polite usage. This shown to any head of department in the municipal government of Brooklyn is said to receive prompt and respectful attention. A former Superintendent of Public Instruction used to have his office invaded now and then by women who, armed with these card credentials, demanded places for young school teachers. They usually got them.

Mrs. Robert Goelet has a kind side for newspaper women, and a pardonable pride in her sumptuous home. Three or four years ago, when this house was newly finished, a daily paper made vain efforts to get a description of the furnishings and interior decorations. After half a dozen men had failed a woman reporter rang the doorbell. Mrs. Goelet received her cordially, said she should take pleasure in showing the whole establishment, but should trust to her honor to write nothing, for Mr. Goelet refused permission. The woman wrote, nevertheless, and sent her article to Mrs. Goelet, who showed it to her husband, who promptly returned it to the woman reporter, saying it pleased him, and she might put it into type if she so chose. When the woman turned in her copy the editor was so surprised at her achievement of what he deemed the impossible that he almost believed the article a "fake," until she exhibited Mr. Goelet's signature. Thus it is that a woman sometimes helps another woman.

Mrs. Frank Leslie is one of the women who hardly know the inside of a New York store. When she wants a thing she sends her coachman. "Get this," she says, and he gets it; "Match that," and it is done.

A CO-OPERATIVE SCHEME.

Every now and then one hears of a new instance of ingenuity on the part of the working girls, more especially these who belong to clubs, and so get the benefit of contact with wise and tactful women. Fourteen of Miss Grace H. Dodge's club girls have lately gone into a very pretty enterprise. They have established themselves on a coöperative basis in the manufacture of dainty baby clothes. A little money has been put into the plan from outside. If the girls succeed and anything is left above their wages, the profits are to be parted in three, one portion for the stockholders, one for the girls, to be divided according to their salaries, and one for an emergency and enlargement fund. I do not know of a pleasanter place in the city in which to spend half an hour than the sunny little workroom above the store, especially if one happens in about 4 o'clock, when all the wee smocked frocks and long robes are dropped, while quaint blue and white cups and saucers and the shiniest little kettle are produced, and everybody has a merry ten minutes over afternoon tea. The girls take to their work as gaily as if they regarded it as an endless succession of jolly sewing bees. They are interested in their task, interested in one another and interested and enthusiastic over their novel scheme. They are about the only really happy-looking sewing-girls I have ever known.

ELIZABETH DUSTIN.

New Christmas Things.

[H. Butterworth in the Youth's Companion.]

Some years ago I was asked to arrange an entertainment for a social gathering of young people.

"Give us something novel," said the hostess. "We are tired of old things."

"How would an orange party do?" I asked.

"A party where the young ladies are expected to wear orange dresses and the young men orange neckties?"

"Yes, and more than that. The refreshments are to consist of oranges of all kinds and served in many different ways. The cake is to be——"

"Orange cake?"

"Yes, and the lemonade——"

"Orangeade?"

"Yes, and the ice creams——"

"Orange?"

"And the invitations are to be——"

"Written on orange paper?"

"And the shades of the gas lights——"

"I see it all, and like the idea."

"But I would make the party educational, by having a short lecture on the different varieties of the orange as they are served. Then I would have music on the banjo, if it is possible to get it, by a minstrel from the South. Real log-cabin music, such as is played under the orange and grape fruit trees."

The party was successful. I sent South for Spanish moss, orange blossoms and several new varieties of Florida oranges, and secured some fine Naval oranges from California. We had an abundance of grape fruit, and if I failed as a lecturer, the negro did not fail to make himself delightful with his bango and songs.

We had read a poem to the Orange Tree, and all sang, "Way Down Upon the Suwanee River," and "My Old Kentucky Home," and "The Mocking Bird" to the banjo, after which we had Spanish music on the guitar.

Fattening Fowls Rapidly.

[Farm and Fireside.]

Pick out every fowl intended for the market, and put all those selected in a pen in which there are no laying hens, as a different food should be fed to layers, they not requiring food that fattens quickly. Do not coop them in little coops or boxes, but give them a house and small yard, so that they will not notice the confinement so quickly. Early in the morning give them a warm mess of corn meal and milk, thickened to the consistency of dough, and at noon give wheat. At night, give corn—as much as they will eat. Keep plenty of sharp gravel and pounded charcoal where they can help themselves, and if the weather is cold, give warm water three times a day. Of course, if an addition can be given, in the shape of bran and potatoes, mixed, it will be an advantage, while sweet potatoes exceed everything else for fattening. Under this process, the birds should be as fat as possible in two weeks. If milk is plentiful, give the birds a warm drink of it in the afternoon before feeding the corn.

Red Oats.

T. J. Robison, of Nordhoff, Cal., has presented THE TIMES with a sample of red oats, which he says produced from a gallon and a half of seed, at the third crop, one thousand bushels. The grain weighs from 108 pounds to 112 pounds per sack.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Glendora will plant 100 acres to peas this winter; about two hundred acres to cabbage, and some 25 acres to tomatoes.

A gentleman who thought our statement that 250,000 orange and lemon trees would be brought to Pomona for selling was too high, took his pencil out and began figuring. He believed the number would be 300,000 trees when he finished his calculations.—[Pomona Progress.

Near Victor on the Mojave River, there is a reservoir site, equal in every respect to the Bear Valley Reservoir site. A dam 100 feet high would cause a lake to set back nine miles with a width of three miles, which would irrigate several hundred thousand acres of fine grape land on the desert below.—[San Bernardino Times-Index.

Captain Richards is now digging twelve acres of potatoes on his land south of Burbank. The yield will be fully thirty sacks to the acre throughout. This makes the second crop taken from that land since spring, and as soon as it is cleared it will be planted to cabbages. This is merely one demonstration of what industry will accomplish in this valley.—[Burbank Times.

A good lively blizzard was blowing on Old Baldy on Monday. It is one of the delightful contrasts of this climate that you can sit under an orange tree and inhale the fragrance of roses while looking at the snow blow fifteen miles away, complacent in the knowledge that the cold blasts never come any nearer.—[Ontario Record.

We agree with the San Diego Union that Southern California ought to have a new Christmas, something distinctively characteristic of our sunny clime. Santa Claus with his sleigh-bells and buffalo robe seems rather out of place among orange groves, flowers, green fields and balmy breezes. Perhaps if St. Nick were attired in a straw hat and linen duster, with a palm fan in his hand, and come in blowing and mopping his face with a red bandana, it would be more in keeping. But let us discard the buffalo robe and sleigh-bells at all hazards.—[Riverside Press.

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SHERIFF'S SALE, NO. 12,027.—A. W. Brainard, plaintiff, vs. Myron N. Myrick, defendant. Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1890, in the above entitled action, wherein A. W. Brainard the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment of decree and foreclosure and sale against Myron N. Myrick defendant, on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1890, for the sum of $790.41, in lawful money of the United States, which said decree was on the 17th day of November, A.D 1890, recorded in judgment book 23 of said court, at page 71, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot number three (3) of Brainard's subdivision of the east half of lot numbered four (4) of the Sierra Madre Tract, in the county of Los Angeles and State of California, together with all water rights pertaining thereto pro rata, said subdivision is recorded in book ten (10) page seventy-five (75) of Miscellaneous Records of the Recorder's office of Los Angeles county California.

Public notice is hereby given, that on Tuesday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1891, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse door of the county of Los Angeles, on Spring street, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash, lawful money of the United States.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1890.

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By A. M. THORNTON,
Under Sheriff.

WILSON & BULLA attorneys for plaintiff.

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S. M. McCOWAN. Superintendent.

Notice for Publication of Time for Proving Will, etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, State of California, county of Los Angeles. In the matter of the estate of John C. Dunlap, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Tuesday, the 6th day of January, 1891, at 10 o'clock, a.m., of said day, at the courtroom of this Court, Department Two thereof in the building of the Abstract and Title Insurance Co., corner Franklin and New High st., in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, and State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of Augusta J. Dunlap, praying that a document now on file in this Court purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased John C. Dunlap, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said Augusta J Dunlap, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 23, 1890.

J. M. MEREDITH,
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By M. J. ASHMORE,
Deputy.

{ SEAL OF SUPERIOR COURT. }

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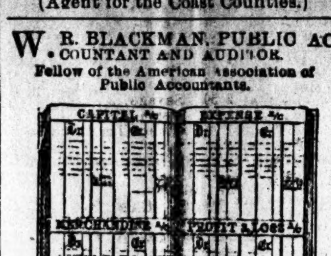

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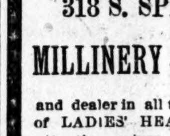

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Sheriff's Sale.

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Sheriff of Los Angeles county.
By A. M. THORNTON
Under Sheriff.

The above sale has been postponed to Saturday, December 27th, 1890 at 10 o'clock a. m.

M. G. AGUIRRE,
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Los Angeles Oil Company.

NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETing of the stockholders of this company will be held on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1891, at 3 o'clock p. m., in the office of the company, room No. 4, Law Building, on Temple street, city of Los Angeles, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

Los Angeles, December 20, 1890.

W. J. NEELY, Secretary.

Lines of Travel.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY.

IMPORTANT CHANGE OF TIME.
FRIDAY, DEC. 12, 1890.
Trains leave and are due to arrive at Los Angeles (Arcade Depot) Fifth street daily as follows:

Leave for.	Destination.	Arr. from
3:50 p.m.	Banning	9:20 a.m.
5:10 p.m.	Banning	10:00 p.m.
9 05 a.m.	Colton	9:20 a.m.
3:50 p.m.	Colton	
	Colton	4:20 p.m.
5:10 p.m.	Deming and East	10:00 p.m.
5:10 p.m.	El Paso and East	10:00 p.m.
9:25 a.m	L. Beach and San Pedro	3:27 p.m.
5:12 p.m.	L. Beach and San Pedro	8:15 a.m.
10:40 p.m.	Ogden and East, 1st class	2:55 p.m.
1:35 p.m	Ogden and East, 2d class	7:25 a.m.
10:40 p.m	Portland, Or.	7:25 a.m.
9:05 a.m.	Riverside	9:20 a.m.
3:50 p.m.	Riverside	
	Riverside	4:20 p.m.
5:10 p.m.	Riverside	10:00 p.m.
9:05 a.m.	San Bernardino	9:20 a.m.
3:50 p.m.	San Bernardino	
	San Bernardino	4:20 p.m.
5:10 p.m.	San Bernardino	10:00 p.m.
9:05 a.m.	Redlands	4:20 p.m.
3:50 p.m.	Redlands	10:00 p.m.
1:35 p.m.	San Fran & Sacramento	7:25 a.m.
10:40 p.m.	San Fran & Sacramento	2:55 p.m.
*9:37 a.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	8:55 a.m.
5:02 p.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	*4:04 p.m.
1:35 p.m	Santa Barbara	2:55 p.m.
7:25 a.m.	Santa Barbara	9:05 p.m.
9:30 a.m	Santa Monica	8:33 a.m.
1:07 p.m.	Santa Monica	12:13 p.m
5:07 p.m.	Santa Monica	4:28 p.m
*6:10 p.m	Santa Monica	*7:20 a.m.
*9:37 a.m	Tustin	*8:55 a.m
*5:02 p.m.	Tustin	*4:04 p.m
4:40 p.m	Whittier	8:43 a.m.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RAILWAY CO. (Santa Fe Route.)

IN EFFECT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23 1890.

Leave.	Los Angeles.	Arrive.
*12:15 p.m	Overland	*3:00 p.m
*8:15 a.m	San Diego Coast Line.	*1:15 p.m
*3:20 p.m	San Diego Coast Line.	*9:10 p.m
*8:30 a.m	Azusa and Pasadena	*7:40 a.m
*11:50 a.m	Azusa and Pasadena	*9:55 a.m
*1:25 p.m	Azusa and Pasadena	*2:50 p.m
*4:00 p.m	Azusa and Pasadena	*6:30 p.m
†5:22 p.m	Azusa and Pasadena	†4:40 p.m
*12:15 p.m	Pasadena	*3:00 p.m
†7:40 a.m	Pasadena	†8:50 a.m
*8:30 a.m	San Bernardino via Pasadena	*9:55 a.m
*12:15 p.m		*3:00 p.m
*4:00 p.m		*6:30 p.m
*11:00 a.m	Riverside & San Bernardino via Orange	*5:50 p.m
*4:00 p.m		†10:15 a.m
*8:30 a.m	Riverside via Pasadena	*6:30 p.m
*11:00 a.m	Riverside via Orange.	*5:50 p.m
*4:00 p.m.	Riverside via Orange.	†10:15 a.m
*8:30 a.m	Redl'ds & Mentone via Pasadena	*9:55 a.m
*4:00 p.m		*6:30 p.m
*12:15 p.m		*3:00 p.m
*4:00 p.m	Redl'ds & Mentone via Orange & R'side	*5:50 p.m
†11:00 a.m		†10:15 a.m
*12:15 p.m.	S Jacinto via S. Bdno	*6:30 p.m
†11:00 a.m.	S Jacinto via Or'ge and East Riverside	†5:50 p.m
*8:15 a.m	Santa Ana	*1:15 p.m
*3:20 p.m	Santa Ana	*5:50 p.m
	Santa Ana	*9:00 p.m
†5:05 p.m.	Santa Ana	†8:50 a.m
*3:20 p.m.	Escondido via C'st Line	†1:15 p.m
*10:15 a.m	Redondo Beach	*8:29 a.m
*4:45 p.m.	Redondo Beach	*3:50 p.m
†10:15 a.m	Port Ballona	†3:40 p.m

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† 7:00 a.m.	† 6:00 a.m.
† 8:00 a.m.	* 7:00 a.m.
* 8:45 a.m.	† 8:00 a.m.
*10:00 a.m.	* 8:45 a.m.
*11:00 a.m.	*10:00 a.m.
*12:01 p.m.	*11:00 a.m.
* 2:00 p.m.	* 1:00 p.m.
* 4:00 p.m.	* 2:00 p.m.
* 5:25 p.m.	* 4:00 p.m.
* 6:30 p.m.	* 5:25 p.m.
* 9:00 p.m.	* 7:00 p.m.
*11:30 p.m.	*10:30 p.m.

Running time between Los Angeles and Pasadena, 30 minutes.

Leave Los Angeles for Glendale.	Leave Glendale for Los Angeles.
† 6:40 a.m.	† 5:55 a.m.
* 8:25 a.m.	* 7:50 a.m.
*11:40 a.m.	*10:10 a.m.
* 2:15 p.m.	* 1:25 p.m.
* 4:10 p.m.	* 3:15 p.m.
* 6:05 p.m.	* 5:05 p.m.

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Add 5 minutes for Verdugo Park time.

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San Pedro...... San Diego......	S. S. Santa Rosa, Dec. 6, 14, 22, 30, and Jan. 7.
For Redondo......	S. S. Eureka, Dec. 4, 12, 20, 28, and Jan. 7.
San Pedro and Way Ports....	S. S. *Santa Cruz, Dec. 8, 16, 24 and Jan. 2.

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1:42 p.m. and 4:42 p.m.	3:33 p.m. and 5:33 p.m.

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Notes and Comment on Timely Topics of Local Interest—Personals—A Batch of Brevities.

The January number of the *Cosmopolitan* contains an interesting article on "The Literary Development of California," in which two well-known Pasadena writers receive prominent mention. Of Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Stetson, of whom an excellent photograph is printed, the author says:

"Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Stetson and Miss Grace Ellery Channing are just beginning to win recognition in the East. These two girls are intimate friends and work alone or together, amid the everlasting roses of California. Neither was born in the State, but both have done their first work in it. They have recently had a play accepted by Frohman, and others ordered. Of Mrs. Stetson's 'Similar Cases,' which appeared in a recent number of The Nationalist, Howells said: 'We have have had nothing since the Biglow Papers half so good in a good cause.' It is a brilliant satire on the racial opposition to new ideas. The scene is laid in the 'geologic ages,' and the humor is so sharp and the satire so keen that any member of that sex which claims humor as its special prerogative would be glad to have written it. Her 'Women of Today,' published in the Woman's Journal, also won from Howells the comment that it was 'dreadfully true.' Mrs. Stetson is a daughter of C. T. Perkins, librarian of the Bohemian Club, great granddaughter of Dr. Lyman Beecher and niece of Edward Everett Hale. She is married to a rising young artist and lives in a tiny rose-covered cottage in Pasadena, devoting most of her time to literary work, which is in increasing demand.

The following reference is made to Grace Ellery Channing: "Miss Channing, delicate, shrinking, spirituelle, is like some fine plant of the North flowering unexpectedly amid the riotous hues of the South, yet in consonance with it. Her story, 'The Basket of Anita,' which appeared in a recent number of Scribner's, is a piece of genuine artistic work, and full of the true literary feeling. Her 'Pity, O God,' printed in the same magazine, was a strong and spiritual poem. She is the great-grand-daughter of William Ellery Channing."

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The library is beginning to be what it claims to be—a public institution.

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A physician speaking of la grippe yesterday said: "If the good weather continues, there is every reason to hope that we shall suffer little compared with the places alluded to. The disease is particularly rampant now in New Orleans. And even if our skies should be overcast and a rainy spell ensue, if we keep our houses warm and well ventilated, we are likely to suffer less than the places where the weather is so warm that fires are not permissable. If those who are in delicate health will avoid unnecessary exposure, possess their souls with hope and courage, they will be more likely to pass through the ordeal untouched."

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The Masons will make merry tonight.

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Next Thursday's Tournament of Roses will be all that its name implies.

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A feature of the coming tournament will be the revival of some of the old Spanish games. Some of the contestants will wear the costumes of native Californians of half a century ago.

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The social events thus far given at the Raymond have been as enjoyable as usual, and conducted on the same generous scale. The Raymond never does anything by halves.

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Let us have peace—on New Year's day.

The Mason's Installation.

All Master Masons, Royal Arch Masons and members of the Eastern Star, together with the lady members of their immediate families and widows and daughters of deceased Master Masons are invited to attend a joint installation of the officers of the Pasadena bodies of the above-named orders, to be held in Masonic Hall this evening. The exercises will begin promptly at 6:30 o'clock.

BREVITIES.

The streets are getting dusty again.

Yesterday's overland was two hours late.

Some of the sprinklers were out yesterday.

City Council meets in regular session this morning.

Gen. McBride left Thursday for Washington.

A rehearsal of the *Chimes of Normandy* will be held this evening.

J. H. Outhwaite entertained a few friends at dinner Christmas evening.

Christmas packages continue to arrive in large quantities from the East.

Col. H. E. Pratt celebrated his 26th birthday yesterday amid great rejoicing.

The oranges thus far put on the market have been of good size and excellent flavor.

The Christmas decorations in All Saints' Church were lavish and very tastefully arranged.

Local weather prophets say the clear spell will continue until the next change of the moon.

The public school children will be treated to a free ride on the East Colorado street cars today and will picnic at the end of the line.

The King of the Hawaiian Islands is expected in town in a day or so. It is given out that he intends remaining at the Raymond several days.

Sherman Yates, formerly connected with the Western Union office here but now located at Santa Ana, spent Christmas with his friends here.

F. J. Woodbury, H. H. Rose and George Cope are at E. C. Webster's ranch near Perris, on a gunning expedition. They will return Monday.

One of the parties that were left over in Los Angeles Thursday night chartered an old bus and reached home about 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

Some of the Passadenians who attended the opera in Los Angeles Thursday night missed the late trains out and did not arrive home until this morning.

The Raymond german last night proved a delightful social event. Tonight the Dramatic Club will appear in "*Turn Him Out*," after which dancing will be indulged in.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Lorain Crosby and Miss Emma French. The ceremony will be solemnized at the Methodist Church next Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

The principals of the Pasadena Conservatory of Music are displayed in photographs in Foster's window. Yesterday was the first day of the sale of seats for the coming production. A number of tickets were sold.

Albert Neeley, a son of Bishop and Mrs. Neeley of Maine, died early yesterday morning at Mrs. Bangs, where the family came about a week ago to spend the winter. The deceased was a sufferer from consumption. During the past few days his condition seemed improved and the end was sudden. He was highly educated and talented. The remains will be taken East on Monday by his parents.

Preserving Green Grapes.

[Correspondent Pacific Rural Press]

Your letter directing me to inquire into the methods of preserving grapes in their natural condition for long journeys led to very interesting results, although at first I almost despaired of getting any information worth recording. I learned that last season New York imported 140,000 barrels of grapes, weighing 40 to 45 pounds net, from Spain. They are invariably of the Muscat of Alexandria variety. The fruit is handled very carefully, being cut from the vine with a knife or shears when matured, but not overripe. It is then spread on benches to a depth of 12 to 18 inches in a close room, and there left for a couple of days to sweat. Then all bruised and defective berries are cut out with long-pointed scissors and the fruit packed in dry cork-dust in barrels made of hard wood and tightly put together. First a layer of cork-dust is put over the bottom of the barrel, then a layer of grapes; then another layer of dust, care being taken that it is well shaken into the interstices of the fruit; and so on until the barrel is well and tightly filled. The fruit is shipped in the ordinary hold (not a cool chamber) of the vessel, well ventilated, and generally goes by way of Liverpool, making the passage to New York in 20 to 25 days. The fruit is often stored for weeks in cool chambers after its arrival in New York before it is sent to the auction-room.

[While grapes are plenty and cheap in Los Angeles all summer and fall, there seems to be no one who puts them up for winter use. The grapes now on sale here are mostly brought from the North.]

A Warning to Fruit-growers.

[Pomona Progress.]

Commissioner Mitchell informs us that some of the careless and thoughtless nurserymen in Los Angeles are putting the fruit orchards in this region in jeopardy by the importation of thousands of peach trees from New Jersey. It is high time that something was done to stop this importation. The widely-known disease, the yellows, is wide-spread throughout New Jersey, Michigan, Maryland and Pennsylvania. The disease has killed millions of thrifty peach trees in the East, and no cure has ever been found for it. It is a dangerous trouble in any peach orchard, and spreads with unusual rapidity.

The eastern peach-growers and buyers have repeatedly said during the past few years that, while the yellows is fast reducing the quantity of that fruit grown there, the California orchards have been clean and thrifty. For that reason, it was predicted that in a few years California would have the only real peach orchards in the United States. Now that trees are brought into this section from the worst region in the East for diseased peach trees, it is alarming.

Citron Culture.

[National City Record]

It will be remembered that some weeks ago Mr. F. A. Kimball received, direct from Italy, some cuttings of the citron of commerce. These have been set out where it is thought they will do the best. He also instructed his manager, A. Gaddi, to procure the best books published in Italy upon the curing of the citron of commerce and The lemon, and this week Mr. Gaddi received what is considered the best work of the kind published in Italy. the proper curing of the lemon is of vast importance to California, and it is to be hoped that some new and practical methods may result from a study of this work. The Record will, with the permission of Mr. Kimball, attempt to have the work translated, when it will be published in full.

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HOME HAPPENINGS.

Thursday's Budget of Local News.

NEXT WEEK'S TOURNAMENT

Old California Games to Be Revived—Free Books in the Library—La Grippe—Other News.

Sportsman's Park presents an animated appearance, preparations being in active progress for the Tournament of Roses. A busy force of workmen are on the grounds daily, carrying out the extensive improvements contemplated by the Hunt. The new track is nearing completion. Its size and condition will permit of fast time being made.

Entries are coming in rapidly from different sections of the county. There will be a number of contestants in each event, which will make them all the more exciting. The grand stand will be protusely decorated with flowers. Some of the flights in the hurdle race will be made of calla lilies.

The sports will begin in the morning. Ample accommodations have been provided for serving lunch on the grounds. The Santa Fé trains will stop at the park.

Arthur Bandini will introduce a new game that used to be very popular among the early Californians. It is called "Tirando el Jerid," which means in English, hurling the javelin. A target about thirty inches square with a bull's eye in the center eighteen inches in diameter is placed about eight feet above the ground by means of an upright. The javelins are about four feet long. The contestants ride by on horseback at full speed, and throw one or more javelins at the target, the number depending on the skill of the rider. It is considered a far more difficult and exciting feat than riding at the rings. Mr. Bandini has consented to enter into the game and in the name of the hunt, challenges any one that desires to have a bout. He has not practiced the game for over twelve years, so that all who may desire to enter, will be given an opportunity to practice and will stand a fair show of winning.

Christmas Exercises.

The Christmas exercises held in the Methodist Church Thursday evening were largely attended. The decorations were especially lavish and attractive. The exercises were interesting throughout, and were rendered in a manner which showed careful preparation. The North Pasadena Sunday school held a Christmas service in Thomas Hall, which was filled with an interested audience, friends mostly of the little ones, who acquitted themselves with much credit.

Christmas exercises were held yesterday evening in the Universalist Church. There were recitations and singing appropriate to the occasion by members of the Sunday school, among whom gifts were later distributed. The Harmonia Quartette assisted in the music.

Some of the ministers will preach their Christmas sermons tomorrow morning.

FREE BOOKS.

The Library Can be Used at Less Expense.

The trustees of the public library have removed all restrictions, so that people can now go to the library and read any book in the building without paying 25 cents a month for the privilege. It was also decided that just as soon as the number of volumes will warrant it, the library will be made absolutely free. This is impossible now as the present supply of books would soon be depleted and there would not be a sufficient number to go around.

E. F. Hurlbut donated $50 as a Christmas present for the purchase of books. Who is next?

La Grippe.

It is a fact that la grippe prevails in Pasadena to a considerable extent at present. Those afflicted manifest the same symptoms as last spring when the disease was so prevalent here, only in a less severe form. There is a heavy feeling in the head, sore throat, cold in the head and a general feeling of disinclination to work, which render those afflicted to doubt very much whether life is worth living.

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should be displayed in buying medicine above all things. In selecting a remedy for any disease, you should be positive that it contains nothing injurious to the health. Many remedies on the market leave the patient in a much worse condition, than before taking them.

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BUSINESS.

Money, Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—MONEY—On call, easy, closed offered at 5 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—7½@9.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet, heavy; 60-day bills, 4.79; demand, 4.83.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The stock market today was extremely dull. The bears actively attacked Union Pacific and Atchison, and in these two stocks the features of the market were concentrated. In the last hour there was a partial recovery of early losses, and the close was dull but firm, though generally at something under Wednesday's final prices. Atchison is down 1⅛, and Union Pacific 1⅜.

Government bonds were dull.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS.

[In the quotations below, where two sets of figures appear, thus: "Central Pacific, 34—34½," the first figures refer to the noon quotations, and the last to the closing quotations.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.

U. S. 4s, reg....	121¼	N. P.	20⅛—20¾
U. S. 4s, coup...	122¼	N. P. pref.......	61⅜
U. S. 4½s, reg..	123¼	N. W...........	102¾
U. S. 4½s, coup.	123¼	N. W. pref......	134
Pacific 6s..	109	N. Y. Cen,......	98¾
Am. Cotton Oil.	15¾	North Am.	11½—11
A. T. & S. F.	26¾—26⅛	Or. Imp.	50
Am. Ex.........	111	Or. Nav........	78
Can. Pacific....	72	Or. S. L.......	17
Can. Southern..	48⅝	Or. Tran.......	40
Cen. Pacific.....	28	Pacific Mail.	30⅝—30⅛
C., B. & Q....	87⅛	Reading	30⅜
Del. & Lac... ...	129	Rock Isl.........	*68
D. & R. G....	17—16½	St. Paul........	48⅜
Erie..........	18¾	St. L. & S. F ...	32
Kan. & Tex.......	11¼	St. P. & O........	20⅛
L. Shore........	108¼	Tex. Pac...	13⅝—13⅛
Louis. & N.......	71¼	U. P........	41¼—41⅛
Mich. Cen.......	89	U. S. Ex........	67
Mo. Pacific.....	59½	W.-Fargo......	135
		West. Un..	74⅛—74¼

* Extra dividend.

NEW YORK MINING STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.

Alice	1 90	Horn Silver	2 75
Adams Con	1 75	Iron Silver	1 10
Amador	1 25	Mexican	2 30
Aspen	5 50	Mt. Diablo	2 00
Barcelona	2 90	Mono	45
Belle Isle	2 20	Navajo Queen	15
Best & Bel	2 50	N. Belle Isle	70
Bodie	1 00	N. Com'nw'lth	85
Colo Con	1 05	Ontario	37 00
Cal. B. H	1 05	Occidental	75
Chollar	3 50	Ophir	2 60
Con. Cal. & Va	2 55	Phœnix Ariz	88
Commonw'lth	1 00	Plymouth	1 00
Crown Point	1 40	Potosi	6 75
Deadwood	1 20	Savage	1 50
Delmonte	1 00	Sierra Nevada	1 55
Diablo	2 10	Standard	1 00
Eureka Con	3 00	Sutter Creek	1 00
Gould & Curry	1 15	Small Hopes	1 00
Hale & Nor	1 25	Union Con	1 50
Homestake	8 00	Yellow Jacket	1 65

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.

Alpha Con	80	Gould & Curry	1 35
Alta	60	Hale & Nor	1 35
Belcher	1 35	Mexican	2 15
Best & Bel	2 10	Navajo	15
Bulwer	10	Ophir	2 75
Challenge Con	1 50	Peer	10
Chollar	2 15	Peerless	10
Crocker	10	Potosi	5 00
Con. Virginia	2 50	Savage	1 65
Con. Imp	10	Sierra Nevada	1 55
Confidence	4 00	Silver King	20
Con. Cal. & Va	2 65	Union Con	1 35
Crown Point	1 20	Yellow Jacket	1 80

Bar Silver.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—BAR SILVER—1.02¼ per ounce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—BAR SILVER—1.02@1.03 per ounce.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—Closing—Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé, 26⅛; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 87; Mexican Central common, 18⅛; San Diego, 16.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—COFFEE—Options closed steady, unchanged to 10 points up. Sales, 9250 bags. December, 17.25@17.30; January, at 16.55; February, quoted at 16.05; March, 15.65@15.70; April, 15.45; May, at 15.40. Spot Rio, steady; fair cargoes, at 19¼; No. 7 flat bean, at 17⅜.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; refined, quiet. Centrifugals, 96 test, 5⅛; fair refining, 4 9-16.

HOPS—Steady; Pacific coast quoted at 30 @38.

COPPER—Nominal; Lake, December, 14.75.

LEAD—No call today.

TIN—Steady; straits, 20.15.

Grain.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—GRAIN — Wheat: Opened at ⅜@½c lower than closing figures Wednesday; eased off ¼c; advanced ⅜c; declined ⅛@⅜c, or to a point ⅜c below closing figures Wednesday; recovered slightly, and closed at ⅛@⅜c lower. Receipts, 561,000; shipments, 85,000. Cash, at 89; January, at 89½; May, 97¼@97⅜. CORN—Steady. Cash, quoted at 48⅛; January, at 48¼; May, 51⅛@51⅜. OATS—Steady. Cash, quoted at 40; January, at 40; May, 43⅜. BARLEY—Nominal, at 70@75. RYE—Easy, at 65.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—CATTLE—Market steady; receipts, 8000. Natives, 2.90@5.15; stockers, 2.00@3.30; Texans, at 2.30@3.20.

HOGS—Market brisk. Receipts, 10,000. Prime heavy and butcher weights, 3.60@3.90; good mixed, at 3.65@3.70; assorted light, 3.65@3.70; rough and common, 3.40@3.55.

SHEEP—Market was quoted steady. Receipts, 5,000. Natives, 3.25@4.75; westerns, 4.00@5.00; Texans, prime fed, at 3.30@4.20.

Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Wool: Poor inquiry; Montana, 18@25c; territory, 16@22c.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—WOOL—Territory wool selling at 60 clean for fine; 58 for fine medium; 55 for medium. California and Oregon wools are dull.

Pork.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—MESS PORK—Firm. Cash quoted at 8.12½; new January, 10.10; May, at 11.05.

Lard.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—LARD—Firm. Cash, quoted at 5.80; January, 5.82½@5.85; May, at 6.42½@6.45.

Dry Salted Meats.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—DRY SALTED MEATS—Shoulders, quoted at 4.25@4.35; short clear, at 5.20@5.25; short ribs, at 4.70@4.75.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—PETROLEUM—The market was weak; spot Pennsylvania oil, January, opened at 68⅞, closed at 70⅝.

Whiskey.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—WHISKEY—1.14.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Produce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—[Special to THE TIMES.] The market in general has been very quiet today, the Produce Exchange and Call Board having adjourned until Monday. Two carloads of eastern poultry arrived this morning. California butter is looking better, and more of it is coming in. Two carloads of oranges arrived from Southern California this morning, principally from Los Angeles and Riverside. Navels from both places bring the same prices, those from Los Angeles being exceptionally good.

FLOUR—Family extra, 4.15@4.25; superfine, 3.00@3.25.

WHEAT—Milling, 1.31¼@1.33¾.

BARLEY—No. 1 feed, quoted at 1.45@1.45⅝; brewing, at 1.40@1.57½; ground at 1.31@1.32.

CORN—Steady, at 1.27½@1.38¾.

OATS—New, at 1.92½@2.40.

HAY—Wheat, quoted at 12.00@18.00; oat, 11.00@14.25; barley, 11.00@14.00; clover, at 80.0@11.00; alfalfa, 12.00@13.50.

BUTTER—Fair to choice, quoted at 25@36c.

EGGS—California ranch, 35@37½c.

HONEY—White comb, quoted at 11@15c; amber, at 8@10c.

Vegetables.

POTATOES—Quoted at 90c@1.55; sweet, in sacks, 62½@75c; boxed, at 2.00@2.65.

GREEN PEAS—At 5@6c per pound.

STRING BEANS—At 8@12½c.

TOMATOES—At 25@75c per box.

TURNIPS—At 75c per ctl.

BEETS—At $1 per sack.

CARROTS—Feed, at 30@40c.

PARSNIPS—At $1.25 per ctl.

CABBAGE—At 50@60c.

GARLIC—At 8@9c per pound.

SQUASH—Marrowfat, at $12@13 per ton.

ONIONS—Silver skins, 3.00@3.25; common, 2.50@2.75.

Fruits.

PERSIMMONS—At 50@75c per box.

GRAPES—At 75@1.50 per box; dried at 3½@3¾c.

APPLES—40@75c per box for common, 1.00@1.50 for choice; lady apples, 1.00@1.50.

PEARS—At 50@1.00 per box.

LIMES—Mexican, 5.00@5.50; California, 50@75c for small, 1.50@1.75 per large box.

LEMONS—Sicily, 6.00@6.50; California, 1.00@3.00 per box.

ORANGES—Vacaville, 1.00@1.25 per small box; Riverside Navels, 3.50@4.50; Riverside seedlings, 2.50@3.00; Mandarin, 25@50c per box.

BANANAS—At 1.50@2.50 per bunch.

PINEAPPLES—At 4.00@5.00 per dozen.

CRANBERRIES—At $12@13 per bbl

RAISINS—London layers, quoted at 1.75@2.00; three crown, loose, 1.50; two crown, loose, 1.25@1.35.

LOS ANGELES MARKETS.

Provisions.

HAMS—Rex, 12½; Crown, 12½; Lily, 13½.

BACON—Rex, 11½; Crown, 12½; Lily, 12¼; heavy, 9½; medium, 10½.

DRIED BEEF HAMS—11½.

SALT PORK—9½.

LARD—Refined 3s, 9c; 5s, 8⅞; 10s, 8½; 50s, 8; tierces, 7¾; Pure Leaf, 2c higher all round.

Produce.

POTATOES — Home grown, $1.25@1.35; Northern Burbanks, 1.50@1.60; Early Rose, (seed) $1.50@1.60.

BEANS—Pink, 2.50@2.75 Limas, 4.50; navy small, 3.50; Garvanzas, 5@5.50.

ONIONS—Local, 100 lbs, 4.00; Bermuda, 4½ per lb. in crates.

FRESH VEGETABLES — Cauliflower, 75c per doz.; cabbage, 60c per 100 lbs.; tomatoes, 75c per box.

Dairy Products.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, 65@67½; choice, 60@62½; pickle roll, per roll, 55@60; Eastern Creamery, per lb, 35@37c.

CHEESE—Eastern full cream, 14; small, 15; hand 15; full cream California, 13@14c.

Mill Products.

The following quotations are for carload lots. Retail prices 10 cents per cental additional.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, 4.20 per bbl.; Capitol Mills, 4.20; Crown, 4.75; Sperry's 4.75; Victor, 4.60; Superfine, 3.00 (net.)

MILL FEED—Bran, per ton, 24; shorts, 26; corn, per cental, 1.35; rolled barley, 1.70; mixed feed, 1.45; screenings, 1.25; feed meal, 1.45.

GRAINS—Oats: No. 1, 1.70; No. 2, 1.40. Corn: 1.35. Seed barley: per ton, 33.00. Wheat: No. 1, 1.35 per cental; No. 2, 1.30.

Poultry and Eggs.

POULTRY—Hens, 4.50@5.00; young roosters, 4.25@4.75; old roosters, 4.00; broilers, 3.00@4.25; ducks, 4.50@5.00; turkeys, 15@16c.

EGGS—Fresh ranch, 25@26c; Eastern, 15@20c.

Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY—Extracted, light, 5½@6½c; comb, 13c.

BEESWAX—19@21c.

Fruits and Nuts.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, per box, $1.50; grapes, 1.00@1.25 per crate; bananas (Honduras) 2.50@3.50 per bunch.

CITRUS FRUITS—Lemons, $4.00@4.50 per box; oranges, (Riverside Navals) 5.00 per box.

DRIED FRUITS—Apricots, No. 1, 20c; nectarines, No. 1, 12c; peaches, No. 1, 20c; peeled, 27c; prunes (California French,) 10@12½c.

NUTS—Walnuts, Los Nietos, 10c; Los Angeles, 9c; Los Nietos soft shell, 12c; almonds, soft shell, 17c; paper shell, 19c.

RAISINS—London layers, 2.25; loose muscatel 3 crown, 2.00; 2 crown, 1.75; loose raisin, 7c per lb; sultana seedles, 10c.

Legal.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

SHERIFF'S SALE, NO. 13,376.—G. L. Mesnager and John Robarts, Executors, etc., plaintiffs, vs. Eliza Alvarado de Antunez Elvira Alvarado and David Antunez, defendants. Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1890, in the above entitled action wherein G. L. Mesnager and John Robarts, Executors, etc., the above-named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment of decree and foreclosure and sale against Eliza Alvarado de Antunez, et al., defendants, on the 29th day of October A. D. 1890, for the sum of $2155.75, in gold coin of the United States, which said decree was on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1890, recorded in judgment book 25 of said Court, at page 43 I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the west line of Wilmington street N. 36 degrees E one chain and thirty-six and one-half links distant from the point of intersection of the division line between the "Alvarado vineyard" and the "Murat Garden" with the westerly line of Wilmington street and running thence 36 degrees E. along said westerly line of Wilmington street (45½) forty five and one-half links; thence north 58 degrees 6 minutes W. (6.12) six chains and twelve links to land now or formerly of the late Chas Gassagne; thence 27 degrees W. (45½) forty-five and one-half links; thence S. 58 degrees 6 minutes E. (6.6) six chains and six links to the place of beginning. The property and interest in the foregoing realty being an undivided two-fifths (2-5) thereof, being the same property distributed to the said Eliza Alvarado de Antunez and Elvira Alvarado by decree of distribution made and entered in the estate of Maria Ignacia Alvarado deceased, in the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, and which decree was entered on the 25th of January, 1887, and is recorded in book 198 of deeds, page 105, Records of Los Angeles county.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of December, A. D. 1890, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse door of the County of Los Angeles, on Spring street, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1890.

M. G. AGUIRRE,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By A. M. THORNTON,
Under Sheriff.

R. B. CARPENTER, attorney for plaintiffs.

Legal.

Notice of Sale of Bonds.

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Irrigation District duly given and made on the 2d day of December, A. D. 1890, notice is hereby given that said Board of Directors will sell to the highest and best bidder the bonds of said Irrigation District in the amount of $50,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of January and July of each year, on the presentation of the interest coupons at the office of the treasurer of said district.

Said bonds are issued by the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Irrigation District in accordance with, and by the authority of, an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled: "An Act to Provide for the Organization and Government of Irrigation Districts, and to Provide for the Acquisition of Water and Other Property, and for the Distribution of Water Thereby for Irrigation Purposes," approved March 7, 1887, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

Said bonds will be sold for cash, and for not less than ninety per centum of the face value thereof.

Sealed proposals and bids for the purchase of the whole or a portion of said bonds will be received by the said Board of Directors at their office in the town of Palmdale, county of Los Angeles, state of California, and may be addressed to or left with Chas. W. Dodenhoff, the secretary of said board, at Palmdale, Los Angeles county, California, at any time after the date of this notice, and until 12 o'clock m. on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1891, at which time and place the said sale will be made.

Said bonds will be each of the denomination of five hundred ($500) dollars, and will be negotiable in form and will conform in all respects to the requirements of said act.

The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids must be sealed and addressed to the secretary of said board, and indorsed: "Proposals for Palmdale Irrigation District Bonds."

Done by order of the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Irrigation District, December 2, 1890.

[SEAL] CHARLES W. DODENHOFF, Secretary.

S. G. MILLARD and R. H. F. VARIEL, attorneys for district.

Notice of Application for Dissolution. No. 14,196.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the county of Los Angeles, State of California. In the matter of the application of the North Riverside Land and Water Company, a corporation, to be dissolved.

Pursuant to an order of the above entitled Court this day made, notice is hereby given that the North Riverside Land and Water Company, a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, has presented to the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles and State of California, and filed therein a petition, praying to be allowed to disincorporate and dissolve, and that Monday, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1891, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, has been appointed as the time, and the courtroom of Department Five of the above-entitled court, in the Jones block in the city of Los Angeles, in said State and county, has been appointed as the place at which said application will be heard.

And that all persons having objections to said application are required to file the same before the expiration of the time of publication of this notice; which time of publication has been fixed by order of said Court at not less than thirty days prior to said date of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Superior Court aforesaid, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1890.

J. M. MEREDITH,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of said Court.

By F. B. Fanning, Deputy.

Notice for Publication of Time for Proving Will, Etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Agnes Barton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 8th day of January, 1891 at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courtroom of this court, Department Two thereof, corner Franklin and New High streets, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, and State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of Gerald F. Adkins, praying that a document now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said Gerald F. Adkins, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 16 1891.

J. M. MEREDITH, County Clerk.
By M. J. ASHMORE, Deputy.

MORTIMER & HARRIS, Attorneys for petitioner.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

LANKERSHIM RANCH LAND and Water Company—Office, 151 South Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution passed by the Board of Directors of this company, December 13, 1890, a special meeting of the stockholders of the Lankershim Land and Water Company will be held at this office, December 30, 1890 at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be necessary for the final carry-out of the stockholders' agreement, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

LEWIS S. HOYT,
Secretary of said Corporation.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting of the Security Loan & Trust Co. of Southern California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Security Loan and Trust Co. of Southern California, will be held in the company's office in Los Angeles, No. 123 W. Second st., in the Burdick Block, corner of Spring and Second sts., at 9 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, January 6th A. D. 1891 for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the coming year, and transacting such other business as the stockholders may be called upon to transact.

M. W. STIMSON,
Secretary.

EAGLE STABLES.

30 SOUTH BROADWAY.

Good Teams at Reasonable Rates. Telephone No. 245. W. F. WHITE, Proprietor.

Banks.

CITIZENS' BANK OF LOS ANGELES,

Corner Third and Spring Streets.

Capital, - - - $200,000.

OFFICERS:

T. S. C. LOWE..........President.
I. W. BROTHERTON..........Vice-President.
F. D. HALL..........Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

I. S. C. Lowe, H. L. Williams, C. F. Cronin, L. W. Blinn and T. W. Brotherton.

Transacts a general banking business; sells exchange; discounts notes; accepts accounts subject to check. Pays interest on time deposits. Give all.

Security Savings Bank --- Capital, $200,000.

NO. 148 SOUTH MAIN STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

F. N. MYERS..........PRESIDENT.
ISAIAS W. HELLMAN..President Nevada Bank, San Francisco; President Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, Los Angeles.
ANDREW J. BOWNE..President Fourth National Bank, Grand Rapids, Mich.; President Hastings National Bank, Hastings, Mich.
MRS. EMELINE CHILDS..Executrix Estate of O. W. Childs deceased, Los Angeles, Cal.
H. W. HELLMAN..........Vice-President Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, Los Angeles.
S. A. FLEMING..........VICE-PRESIDENT.
T. L. DUQUE.....Capitalist and Wholesale Merchant, of Panama, Republic of Columbia.
A. C. ROGERS..........Physician, Los Angeles.
MAURICE S. HELLMAN..Of Hellman, Waldeck & Co., Wholesale Stationers, Los Angeles.
JAMES RAWSON..........Capitalist, Boston.
J. A. GRAVES..........Of Graves, O'Melveny & Shankland, Attorneys, Los Angeles.
J. F. SARTORI......CASHIER; also Vice-President First National Bank, Monrovia, Cal.

FIVE PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS.

The notice of the public is called to the fact that this bank has the largest paid-up capital of any Savings bank in Southern California, and only loans money on approved real-estate security; that among its stockholders are some of the oldest and most responsible citizens of the community; that, under the State law, the private estates of its stockholders are pro rata liable for the total indebtedness of the bank. These facts, with care exercised in making loans, insure a safe depository for saving accounts. School teachers, clerks, mechanics, employés in factories and shops, laborers, etc., will find it convenient to make deposits in small amounts. CHILDREN'S SAVINGS DEPOSITS received in sums of 25 cents and upward. Remittances may be sent by draft or Wells, Fargo & Co's. Express.

5 PER CENT PAID ON DEPOSITS.

Main Street Savings Bank and Trust Co.

No. 426 SOUTH MAIN STREET, LOS ANGELES, CAL.

CAPITAL STOCK, - - - - - - $200,000.

J. B. LANKERSHIM, Prest. F. W. DEVAN, Cashier. CHAS. FORMAN, Vice-Prest.

Deposits will be received in sums of from one dollar to five thousand dollars.
We declare a dividend in January and July, of each year.
Five per cent on term and from three to four on ordinary.
Money to loan on mortgages. Bonds and dividend-paying stocks bought and sold.

☞This Bank is authorized by its charter to pay interest on deposits.

GERMAN-AMERICAN SAVINGS BANK.

NO. 114 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

CAPITAL, - - - - - - - - $100,000.

Interest Paid on Deposits. Real Estate Loans Made.

E. N. McDonald President; Louis Lichtenberger, Vice-President; W. M. Sheldon, 2d Vice-President; M. N. Avery, Secretary; P. F. Schumacher, Assistant Secretary; Victor Ponet, Treasurer.

Banks.

LOS ANGELES SAVINGS BANK,

136 NORTH MAIN STREET.

Capital..........$100,000

L. C. GOODWIN..........President
W. M. CASWELL..........Secretary

I. W. Hellman, John E. Plater, Robert S. Baker, J. B. Lankershim, L. C. Goodwin.

Term deposits will be received in sums of $100 and over. Ordinary deposits in sums of $10 and over.

Money to loan on first-class real estate.

THE CITY BANK,

NO. 37 SOUTH SPRING ST.

Capital Stock, $300,000.

A. D. CHILDRESS, President.
JOHN S. PARK, Cashier.

DIRECTORS: W. T. Childress, J. J. Schallert, John S. Park, Poindexter Dunn, E. E. Crandall, R. G. Lunt, A. D. Childress.

General banking. Fire and burglar proof safe deposit boxes rented at from $3 to $20 per annum.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' BANK OF LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Capital, paid up..........$500,000
Surplus and profits..........750,000

Total..........$1,250,000

OFFICERS:

ISAIAS W. HELLMAN..........President
HERMAN W. HELLMAN..........Vice-president
JOHN MILNER..........Cashier
H. J. FLEISHMAN..........Assistant Cashier

DIRECTORS:

L. L. Bradbury, C. E. Thom, L. C. Goodwin, Emeline Childs, C. Ducommun, A. Glassell, J. B. Lankershim, H. W. Hellman, I. W. Hellman

STOCKHOLDERS: Estate O W. Childs, J. B. Lankershim, Chas. Ducommun, Domingo Amestoy, Sarah J. Lee, Emeline Childs, Sarah J. Loop, L. L. Bradbury, T. L. Duque, Jacob Kuhrts Louis Polaski, F. Lecouvreur, Estate D. Solomon, Presly C. Baker, L. C. Goodwin, Philippe Garnier, A. Haas, Cameron E. Thom, Oliver H. Bliss, Chris. Henne, Andrew Glassell, Herman W. Hellman, Isaias W. Hellman.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA NATIONAL BANK.

NADEAU BLOCK, Cor. First and Spring Sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

L. N. BREED, President.
W. F. BOSBYSHELL, Vice-president.
C. N. FLINT, Cashier.

PAID-IN CAPITAL..........$200,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits..........20,000

DIRECTORS:

D. Remick, Thos. Goss, A. W. Richards, L. N. Breed, H. T. Newell, H. A. Barclay, Charles E. Day, M. Hagan, Frank Rader, E. C. Bosbyshell, W. F. Bosbyshell.

GEO. H. BONEBRAKE, President.
JOHN BRYSON, SR., Vice-president.
F. C. HOWES, Cashier.
E. W. COE, Assistant Cashier.

LOS ANGELES NATIONAL BANK

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

Capital..........$500,000
Surplus..........75,000

Total..........$575,000

DIRECTORS:

W. G. Cochran, Col H. H. Markham, Perry M. Green, John Bryson, Sr., H. Sinsabaugh, F. C. Howes, Geo. H. Bonebrake, Warren Gillelen.

Exchange for sale on all the principal cities of the United States and Europe.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES.

Capital Stock..........$200,000 00
Reserve..........205,000 00

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

E. F. SPENCE..........President
J. D. BICKNELL..........Vice-president
J. M. ELLIOTT..........Cashier
G. B. SHAFFER..........Assistant Cashier

DIRECTORS:

E. F. Spence, William Lacy, J. D. Bicknell, J. F. Crank, S. H. Mott, H. Mabury, J. M. Elliott.

The National Bank of California,

Spring and Second sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

CAPITAL, $250,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Thomas R. Bard, Dr W. L. Graves, E. F. C. Klokke, Gen. M. H. Sherman, O. T. Johnson, Dan McFarland, Fred Eaton.

J. M. C. MARBLE, President.
O. H. CHURCHILL, Vice-President.
W. G. HUGHES, Cashier.
PERRY WILDMAN, Ass't. Cashier.

THE UNIVERSITY BANK OF

Los Angeles, No. 317 New High st.

Capital stock fully paid up..........$100,000
Surplus..........31,000
R. M. WIDNEY..........President
GEO. L. ARNOLD..........Cashier

DIRECTORS:

R. M. Widney, D. O. Miltimore, S. W. Little, C. M. Wells, L. H. Titus, C. A. Warner, L. J. P. Morrill.

General banking business, and loans on first-class real estate solicited. Buy and sell first-class stocks, bonds and warrants. Parties wishing to invest in first-class securities on either long or short time can be accommodated.

Proposals to Furnish and Equip.

SEALED BIDS FOR THE EQUIPMENT of the Reform School for Juvenile Offenders will be received by the Board of Trustees, as per specifications, which will be on file at the superintendent's office on and after the 16th of December, 1890.

All bids must be in writing and sealed and in the hands of said superintendent by January 1st 1891 and accompanied by a check duly certified for 5 per cent of amount of bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

HERVEY LINDLEY,
President.

Jerry Illich RESTAURANT

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

145 and 147 North Main Street.

There were forty-seven real estate transfers yesterday, the total consideration being $42,037.

The sale of the old Tribune plant is advertised to take place this morning at 10 o'clock.

Hon. Joseph Brown, the well-known San Bernardino banker, was in the city yesterday on business.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph for F. Ferris and Mrs. Lienman.

Nothing was doing at the City Hall yesterday, the officials not having recovered from the effects of their Christmas festivities.

Mrs. Lensburg of No. 430 Beaudry avenue yesterday donated $1 for Mrs. Gillen. She will also leave a parcel of clothing for the children.

The next cross-country trip by the Los Angeles Athletic Club will take place Sunday, January 4. The start will be made at 8 o'clock a. m.

Capt. Leonicio Lugo, captain of the Indian village of Canhilla, in San Diego county, is in the city on business in connection with the United States Court.

Dr. W. J. P. Lawton of Lincoln, Neb., arrived on the 25th, and is stopping with S. S. Chase on Ninth street for a few days. After a brief visit to Portland, Or., he will locate here permanently.

The house of John Bernard, in the Howes tract, was destroyed by fire Christmas evening. Part of the contents were burned also. The cause is supposed to have been the explosion of a lamp. The house was insured.

This evening Cornman Post, G. A. R., of San Bernardino, will give a grand reception to Department Commander A. J. Buckles. Past Department Commander Gard of this city and other prominent citizens will be in attendance.

Articles of agreement consolidating the Los Angeles and Glendale Railway, the Los Angeles, Pasadena and Glendale Railway and the Los Angeles Terminal Railway companies were yesterday filed with the County Clerk.

The taxes were paid yesterday for a lady in this city on $26,800 in cash, the largest amount of actual money on which taxes were ever paid, it is said, by a private individual in the county. The taxes were paid by D. C. Gray for the lady, who is a client of his.

The funeral of Mrs. Jessie Bowler, wife of Detective Bowler of the police force, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence on West Fifteenth street, and was largely attended. Members of the police force acted as pall-bearers, and a number attended in a body.

Some time ago W. B. Barber promised a gold watch and chain to the boy or girl who brought in the largest number of Sunday-school scholars to St. Vincent's Sunday school on Twenty-eighth street. The prize was awarded to Miss Carrie Stanton, daughter of Judge L. Stanton.

Manager Hellman has received telegrams from San Diego to the effect that one of the largest crowds of the season witnessed the ball game on Christmas day in that city. The San Diego team is almost invincible, defeating the 'Frisco nine, one of the best in the State. The Los Angeles Club were to have left last night for Fresno, but a telegram from that city stated that it was raining, so the games were postponed.

The joint installation ceremonies of Pentalpha Lodge No. 202, F. and A. M., and Southern California Lodge No. 278, F. and A. M., will take place at Masonic Hall on Monday evening of next week. The installation exercises of Cœur de Lion Commandery No. 9, Knights Templar, will take place on Tuesday evening of next week. Ladies accompanying Sir Knights will be admitted. The ceremonies will be followed by music, dancing and refreshments.

On account of the holidays the Ladies' Benevolent Society has been unable to have all its accounts straightened, but feel sure of netting over $300, for which they feel very thankful, considering the times and the rainy weather the night of the performance. They wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the Owl Club for their excellent performance; to Mrs. O. W. Childs for the use of the Operahouse; to Mr. Cline, to W. S. Allen for loan of furniture; to Messrs. Meyberg, Kingeman and the Kankoo for favors received; to the press and to all who so kindly assisted in making their benefit a success.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. C. A. Storke, née Miss Yda H. Addis, is in the city, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Emma Holmes arrived this morning from a three months' visit at Duluth, Minn.

E. Otten and F. E. Clarke of San Francisco are in the city, registered at the Hollenbeck.

H. L. Leavett, manager of the Standard Theater of San Diego is in the city on business.

Mrs. Ida K. Woodberry of Ventura is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kilburn at No. 2700 Grand avenue.

George Rubenstein, A. N. Stern, L. Stern of New York, E. Strauss and W. A. Lockwood of Chicago are registered at the Nadeau.

Dr. C. S. Mann, Henry W. Hyman and F. G. High of San Francisco and John E. Todd of Riverside are stopping at the Westminster.

Percy W. Gorham and wife of San Diego, Charles J. Perkins of San Bernardino, H. H. Patterson and wife of San Francisco are guests of the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reynolds of Rockford, Ill., arrived in the city Tuesday morning, and will spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Taylor.

W. W. Hannon and wife of Detroit, Mich.; S. E. Gill of Pittsburgh; Misses Carrie M. Tewesbury of Colebrook, N. H.; Sadie Newcastle, Boston; Mina Newman, Alburgh Springs, Vt.; Nellie Miles, Stalbaus, Vt., are stopping at the Westminster.

Pip in Fowls.

I saw in your paper some time last year and again in the number just out, that you say there is no such thing as "pip" among fowls. Permit me, for the benefit of your many readers, and of the fowls in particular, to give my experience with the above disease. It is a hard substance that forms on the tip of the tongue, and unless it is removed the tongue becomes paralyzed, the fowl cannot eat, and in time dies of cholera, as so many say, when the real cause was a pip on the tongue. Now, for the removal. I examine every droopy fowl, and if I find a "pip," I take the tongue between the thumb and finger of my left hand, and with a large needle loosen the pip from underneath, then pull it off, when I put a pinch of salt and pepper in the mouth to heal it. As soon as the operation is performed, they are generally ready for eating. I have raised fowls on a small scale for ten years, and have not lost more than six hens.

MRS. L. B. S.

[What is known as "pip" is a result of the disease—dryness of the tongue—and not a disease of itself.—ED.]

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Four Hundred Visitors Take in the Exhibit.

A SUPPLY OF SUGAR-BEET SEED

Letter from Secretary Blaine Regarding the Bureau of American Republics—Its Aims and Objects.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a letter from Richard Gird saying he will have quantities of sugar-beet seed on hand within the next six weeks, of the following varieties: Vilmorin, Dippies, Vilmovin, White Silesian, Klein, Wanglebener.

Four hundred visitors took a look at the exhibits Christmas day.

Donations were received yesterday from P. O. Johnson's ranch, Rivera, of two varieties of apples and oranges.

G. W. Robinson has placed on exhibition a gun made in 1660. He came in possession of it through Indians in Old Mexico.

Miss Emma Wetzell of East Los Angeles has contributed a fine sample of persimmons for Chicago.

Mrs. Capt. Barrett sent in flowers.

C. Fred Bean of Alhambra contributed limes for "California on Wheels."

The Chamber sent yesterday to "California on Wheels" six cases of assorted fruits and vegetables, watermelons and printed matter.

Secretary Hanchette goes to San Francisco tonight to make arrangements for the exhibit at the State Board of Trade rooms.

Bulletin No. 2 is about all distributed. The demands yesterday came from Maine to Alaska. No. 3, an eight-pager, will be out by the 1st of January, 1891.

LETTER FROM SECRETARY BLAINE.

Maj. Jones, president of the Chamber of Commerce, has received the following letter:

"DEPARTMENT OF STATE.
"WASHINGTON, Nov. 26, 1890.

"*E. W. Jones, Esq., President Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles*—DEAR SIR: In pursuance of the recommendations of the International American Conference, the Bureau of the American Republics has been established at Washington. The object of this bureau is the dissemination of authentic and useful information concerning the commercial conditions and advantages of the several American republics for the benefit of manufacturers, merchants and others who may be interested in the extension of trade.

"It is proposed to issue, at frequent intervals, for free distribution to the public, printed pamphlets or bulletins, containing

"First—The existing customs tariffs of the several countries and all changes of the same as they occur, with such explanations as may be deemed useful.

"Second—Official regulations which affect the entrance and clearance of vessels and the import tion and exportation of merchandise at the ports of the several countries; also circulars of instruction which relate to customs procedure or to the classification and appraisement of merchandise.

"Third—Ample quotations from commercial and parcel-post treaties between any of the American republics.

"Fourth—Important statistics of commerce and other information of special interest.

"The bureau will at all times be available as a medium of communication and correspondence to persons applying for reasonable information pertaining to the customs tariffs and regulations and to the commerce and navigation of the American republics; and any suggestions as to the character of information that may be found useful will receive careful attention.

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"JAMES G. BLAINE."

The Police Department.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] I have been requested to make, through your columns, a statement of facts relating to the Police Department of this city. I am quite willing to make any statement in relation to police affairs that may benefit the public or enlighten the public mind at the close of the present administration.

The covert agitation going on to bring about an absolute change in the Police Department should be met and forever settled by a dispassionate revelation of the facts as they exist. In speaking of the record of the past, I have no desire to draw invidious comparisons or unduly criticise any man or set of men. I am aware that the best administration of public affairs may, nay, will make mistakes. When I say that the present administration of police affairs has been the best this city has ever seen, I but affirm the verdict of our best citizens, regardless of party. No doubt the great mass of our citizens desire a continuance of the administration under Chief Glass. I do not hesitate to say that there is not a police force in any city in the land of a similar number of men that can surpass that of Los Angeles. The officers and men, as a rule, are men, men who are alert to duty, men in whom the public have confidence, honest as well as capable. Under such circumstances why make a change and bring disorganization with doubt and unrest into the department?

Who demands a change, and why is a change demanded? It is easily answered. Those desiring places on the force desire a change. Those anxious to become chief, captain, etc., of course desire a change. Those who desire to see the games run without let or hindrance are doing all they can for a change. The enforcement or the laws regarding gambling, lotteries, saloons, etc., is not particularly agreeable to those who trample the laws under their feet. Such people of course want a change. Comment is unnecessary.

The old saying, "let well enough alone," could never be more appropriately applied than as regards the management of our police affairs. Discipline, efficiency and economy characterize its management throughout.

Regarding economy, let us take the single item of the cost of boarding the city prisoners. The first four months of 1890, the meals were furnished by a restaurant at 12½ cents per meal. Now the cooking is performed at the jail, which will save the city (at the average number of inmates) about $100 per month, with food vastly superior in quality.

Take the cost of running the department in 1889 amounting to $99 781.50, compared with the cost of 1890—$73,952 74, and there is a difference of $25 828.76 in favor of the last year. How is that for economy? Retrenchment and reform have been inaugurated in at least one branch of the city government.

In closing, let me say that I do not believe that our City Council can afford to dispense with the services of Chief Glass. Neither do I believe that he should be so fettered that his usefulness as the executive head of the force may be abridged or impaired. He is the right man in the right place. He has been tried and *not* found wanting.

D. GILBERT DEXTER.

Death of a Marquis.

Francois Eugene Prevot, Marquis de St. Cyr, died Christmas evening at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Botello, on Bartlett street, aged 85 years. The marquis was born in Huningue, Alsace, France, June 7, 1805, and was in his early youth a page to Louis XIV. He came to America many years ago, finally locating in Los Angeles about five years ago. About a year ago the marquis met with an accident, and has since that time been bed-ridden. His death resulted from natural causes. Coroner Weldon investigated the case, and issued a certificate.

Immoderate Orange Planting.

[Pacific Rural Press.]

Editors Press:—Southern California has gone crazy over oranges. The success of the Australian ladybug has opened large areas to replanting where the culture of the orange had been abandoned, and has induced planting everywhere on such a scale as exhausted the supply before the demand began to be satisfied. Nurserymen were complaining last year with their stock left on their hands unsold, owing to the hard times. The hard times have grown harder, but their stock was only a drop in the bucket with prices many per cent. higher.

There are two evils I apprehend as the outgrowth of this condition of things, which will result in loss to two classes.

First, many people jump at the conclusion that the scalebug was the only impediment to the unlimited culture of the orange. There are several kinds of soil so cold that it is impossible to produce the flavor necessary to make it marketable where competition is bound to be somewhat severe. The seaside orange, grown among the cool sea breezes and frequent fogs, will be produced at a loss when it meets in a close market the orange of the warm, sunny valleys of the interior. A range or two of mountains between the orange grove and the sea, with a slight increase of altitude, is a bar to its successful production. Nor can the orange be grown profitably on low, moist land, where the water stands but a few feet below the surface. And yet large money will be sunk in the effort to grow oranges in all these situations and others equally hopeless.

The second class are those who are rushing into the growth of orange trees. About every third or fourth man is going to raise orange trees for the wonderful market of the future. It takes three years from the seed to put a desirable tree on the market. In the meantime more intelligent views will begin to prevail; the demand will have shrunken to its normal volume, and the land will be full of gnarled and stunted trees, the growth of ignorance rather than of the soil, unsold and unsalable. It is a boom on oranges, kindred in its causes and symptoms to that on real estate, in whose slackwater we are now paddling.

Verbum Sat. A. K. J.

San Fernando, April 9, 1890.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.

SIGNAL OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—At 5:07 a. m. the barometer registered 30.06 at 5:07 p. m. 30.00. Thermometer for corresponding periods, 56°, 69°. Maximum temperature 82°; minimum temperature, 55°; rainfall past twenty-four hours, .00; rainfall for season, 2.40.

Weather—Cloudless.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Forecast. Fair weather.

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City Pharmacy, 300 S. Main, corner E. Third st.
The California Pharmacy, corner Fifth and Main sts.
John Beckwith, druggist, 303 N. Main st., near Temple.

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R. W. Ellis & Co., druggist, 113 S. Spring st.
Ed Baer, druggist, 116 N. Spring st.
Heilman, Wadeck & Co.; wholesale stationers, 220 N. Spring st.

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S. A. Austin, Bellevue drug store, 336 Temple st., corner Grand ave.
A. E. Clark, Horseshoe grocery store, 1256 Temple st.
J. H. Collins, grocer, 1702 Temple st., corner Union ave.
J. F. Christopher, Temple-st. Drug Co., 912 Temple st.

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Wallace & Son, grocers, corner Sixth and Grand ave.
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J. E. Yawter, grocer, 657 South Olive, near Seventh st.
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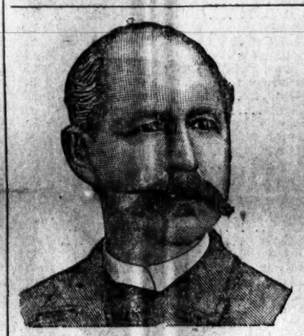

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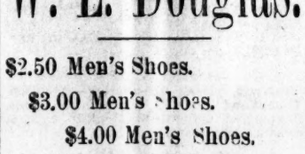

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